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From: Beth Thompson/Jeff Kasprzak <bthomp@epix.net>  
To: s robert powell <srobertpowell@juno.com>  
Sent: July 3, 2000 3:33:33 PM GMT  
Subject: Re: Directions

Greetings and salutations,

Thanks to you and your brother for your hospitality. I had a delightful time. We'll have to do that again some time--perhaps an autumnal equinox picnic. Would the leaves be changing by that time, or is it early yet?

What's the name of the park we went to? I've been wanting to look it up on my Parks of Penna map, but I've forgotten the name.

Say hello to your chickens and cows for me.

Cheers,

Beth

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Subject: Re: Directions

Date: July 5, 2000 2:36:32 PM EDT

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CC:

Wednesday, July 5

Beth:

Glad you enjoyed yourself. I, too, had a good time.

Yes, let's think about an autumnal equinox outing. Merli-Sarnoski is the name of the park. It's a county park, located in Lackawanna County.

Very soon (if not already) the Farmers' Market will be open in Scranton. It's a good place to have lunch. We'll have to make an outing there.

See ya,

Robert



> Home: 570-346-0951  
>  
> s robert powell <[srobertpowell@juno.com](mailto:srobertpowell@juno.com)> wrote:  
> > July 6, 2000  
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> > Robert



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**Subject:** Re: [Re: [Cyberaid]]

**Date:** July 7, 2000 8:29:45 AM EDT

**To:** [srobertpowell@juno.com](mailto:srobertpowell@juno.com) [Add to Address Book](#)

**CC:**

Hello.

I did not call you last night. The Carbondale branch is open only until 5:00 on Fridays and the Albright only until 5:30. We would need more time than that. We'll have to scrap the idea of meeting after I'm done with work and shoot for a Saturday meeting. For me, 7/15 or any Saturday after that will be OK.

Meanwhile, if you want, you can describe to me anything you want done to the Web site, e-mail to me any files you want to use, and I can do the uploading from work or from home.

By the way, I think I discovered what went wrong with the revision I had e-mailed you. It seems you renamed the file before you uploaded it to Crosswinds. Thus, District2.htm (June 30) was still existing in your folder.

After I mail this, I'll upload a revised (July 7) version of the Web page to replace District2.htm and will delete the other file (American Poultry Association.htm) you had uploaded yesterday.

Bye, now.

Paul Warner <[mr.warner@usa.net](mailto:mr.warner@usa.net)> wrote:

> The District2.htm file on Crosswinds is still the June 30 version. I had  
 > changed the date at the bottom of the "repaired" version, so your attempt  
 > to  
 > upload the attachment I sent apparently failed. I'm unsure why, but I think  
 > it  
 > may have something to do with certain security settings the library has on  
 > their computers.  
 >  
 > I can stop by the Albright now and see if I can upload the file from there.  
 > However, because of the quirky nature of these different computer  
 > installations, I would prefer investigating the matter (and meeting with  
 > you)  
 > at the computer you actually use (at the Carbondale branch?).  
 >  
 > Out of the dates you've listed, tomorrow (7/7) is probably the best time  
 > for  
 > me. If I don't hear from you, I'll give you a call later on tonight  
 > regarding  
 > when and where (your phone # is on the APA page).



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**Date:** July 6, 2000 2:43:15 PM EDT

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**CC:**

July 6, 2000

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Robert



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Subject: Back on the Track

Date: July 7, 2000 3:09:41 PM EDT

To: Paul Warner <[mr.warner@usa.net](mailto:mr.warner@usa.net)> [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

July 7

Paul:

Thanks for your help in establishing order in District2.htm. I downloaded the complete webpage and saved it as District2.htm and then made some additions/corrections and then uploaded it and everything went smoothly.

The green bullets and the boxed text and the other refinements that you put in place in District2.htm are very nice. Thank you very much.

Just for the record, I decided to print out a copy of the complete webpage (all 19 pages). On the paper printout, a curious header appeared:

July 10, 1998 Page 1 of 19 (etc.)

The "July 10, 1998" does not appear on the screen but it shows up in the printout. Is there a way to make that date go away? I'm afraid that someone who prints out the webpage might think that that was the last time that the page was updated. The fact that it says "Page 1 of 19," etc. is good.

I see all the changes on the Crosswinds homepage. I didn't have time to do much exploring there today, but I will very soon.

Robert



**Cyberthanks**

Everyone needs an editor. Without editors, in fact, the world would be a real mess. I am fortunate to have a friend who is a first-class print- and cybereditor. His name is Paul Warner. For five years, he and I worked as editors in the print media in Product Development at Harcourt Learning Direct (formerly ICS Learning Systems) in Scranton, PA. Paul knows more about the Internet and the vast cyberworld out there than anyone I know. Without Paul's guidance, direction, and vast reserves of patience, this webpage would not exist—and it would not have the clarity of form and content that it now has. Thank you, Paul, for focusing your keen editorial and technical eye upon this chicken scratch.

*I wonder when Paul will  
discover this acknowledgement  
on the District 2 webpage.*



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7/9/00 — Started as a visit to the Seamans farm in Elkdale, with the object of paying Alvin & Clyde if necessary for the work they have done in the Cemetery in recent weeks. No one home at the Seamans farm. So I spent two or three hours checking my record of the inscriptions on the stones in the Elkdale Cemetery. Over the years, I have spent a lot of time in the Cemetery and I believe that I have the best record possible of the inscriptions there. A woman by the name of Hubbard copied down the inscriptions about 25 years ago, but she was careless — I've found many errors in her work. When I get the job done, I'll make a copy.



7/9/00-2

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of my "field notes" and give it to the Suguehanna County Historical Society. It is in Eldale Cemetery that I want to be buried.

Went from Eldale to Valley View Cemetery and checked on Mom's new tombstone — very nice. Shipley & Scatulas did a perfect job. It reads exactly as it should:

[Helen K. Russell Powell  
June 29, 1913 — October 29, 1999]

Total cost: \$480.00

I am very pleased. Seeing Mom's tombstone in place made her life seem very much like a closed book. She was a good record keeper and it would be unacceptable if her tombstone was not correct.



7/10/00 - Spent several hours at the Historical Society today and made good progress in sorting through a lot more "stuff" in Room 303.

A couple more sessions therein and the floor will be exposed again. Then things will move quickly. I came across a lot of John's D & H things today and was pleased to find them since they will be the nucleus of the D & H transportation museum that I will establish there in the coming year.

On Wednesday, I will walk with some Wayne County people on the <sup>D & H</sup> roadbed through a substantial portion of the South Canadian Loop of the Honesdale Branch of the D & H.

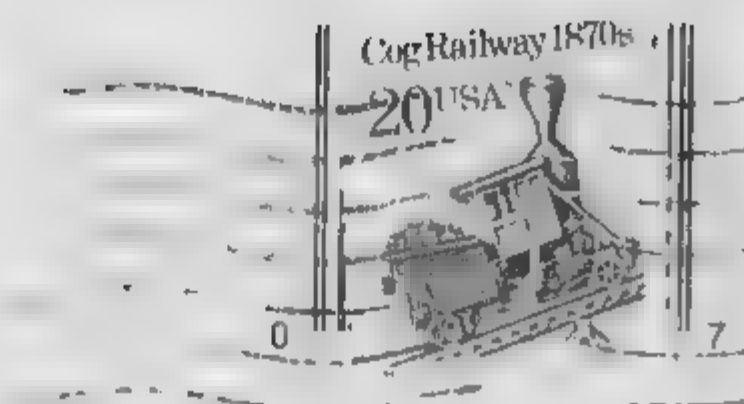


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7-16-00

Robert,

Hello, as I write this  
I'm sitting 6800 ft above  
tide in the Wasatch Mts  
Great Western Treas! Utah  
The Sight is Breath Taking  
and the Aroma Intoxicating  
who ~~could~~ stay forever

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John

S. Robert Powell

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at long last, John's life  
has come into focus. He has  
found his niche, as it were.  
He and I have been friends  
since he was a teenager in  
the early 1980's.



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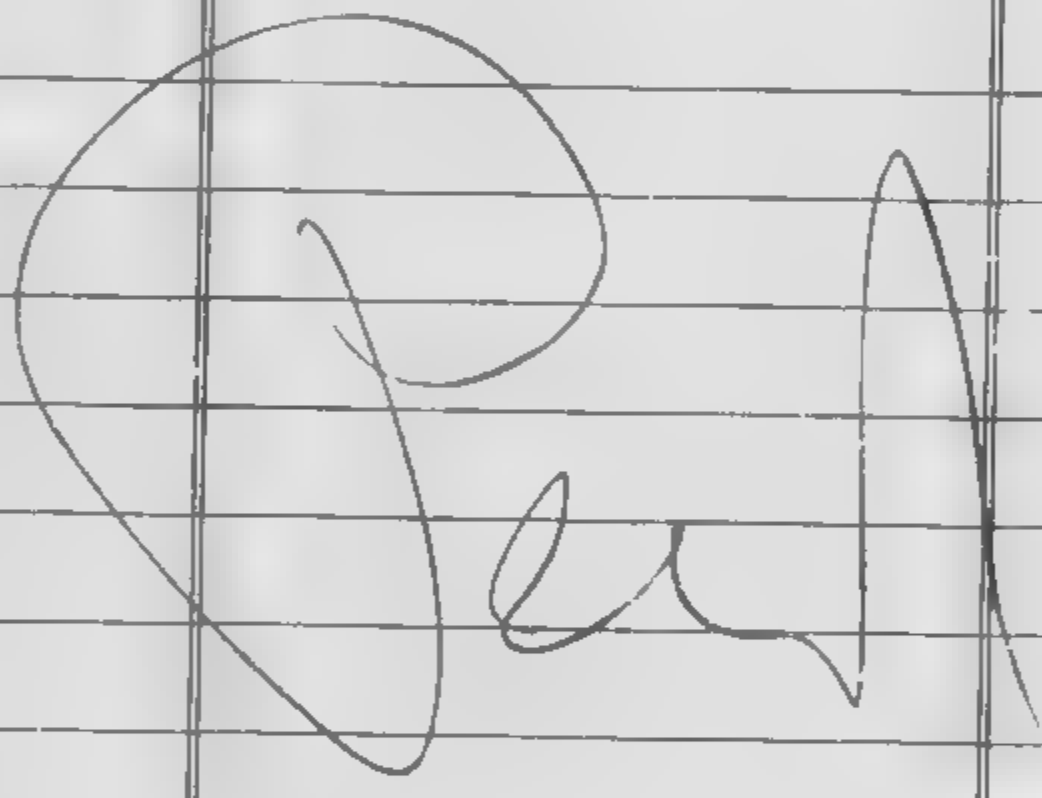
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on file now.



7-17-00

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Put up five quarts of "Pickled Cauliflower" this afternoon. Used the recipe on page 37 of the 1987 edition (Edition 31) of the "Ball Blue Book" — The Guide to Home Canning and Freezing. This is one of Mom's cook books and I have just now signed my name under hers on the Table of Contents page. Canning is one of my favorite things to do. I think it has something to do with removing things from time, as it were.

Once something like cauliflower has been properly canned, it is, in principle, removed from time. The Clock starts ticking again when the seal is broken.

Placing things / data of all kinds outside of the temporal structure of empirical reality has been one of my life obsessions.



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On July 10, 2000, I received acknowledgment letters from the State Library of Pennsylvania (Commonwealth Librarian, PA Department of Education) about two recent gifts to them—

1) P.V. ... 85 — microfilm copy

2) all of the published issues  
(13 of them) of Northeastern

Pennsylvania — hard copies

Long after I am dead and buried and nothing more than a name on a list of record keepers from the past, these documents in the State Library of Pennsylvania will continue to tell their story.

~~microfilm~~

Copies of all of my Poultry Papers,  
1988-1998 are in the State

Library of Pennsylvania, the

3/31/99



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<sup>3/3/99</sup>  
 National Poetry Museum, and  
<sup>3/31/99</sup>  
 the National Agricultural Library  
 in Beltsville, M.D. <sup>microfilm</sup> Copies of all  
 of my Flying Tupper papers  
 are in the State Library <sup>6/27/00</sup> of Pennsylv-  
 vania and the National agri-  
<sup>6/27/00</sup>  
 cultural Museum.

Next, I must send <sup>hard</sup> copies of  
 all of the published issues of  
Northeastern Pennsylvania; <sup>microfilm of</sup> PN...85,  
 and both volumes of Northeastern  
Pennsylvania Genealogical and Local  
History Reprints to the Mormon  
 library in Salt Lake City.

At present I am working on  
 a large collection of papers that  
 relate to the Elkdale Cemetery,



the Ekdale Baptist Church, and the community of Ekdale. When all of these papers are appropriately organized, I will have them microfilmed and then present the microfilm copies to all appropriate repositories. All of this makes me feel very good and I am having a grand time preparing all this data for the use, pleasure, & edification of the present and all future generations.

7/20/00 - DWP II participates in the Anthracite Golf tournament at Honesdale Golf Club; 58 participants; DWP II comes in 5th with a score of 84 for the course. On 7/28/00, he will play in a Championship match at Glen Oak Country Club.

How pleased WSP would be to know that his grandson would be playing in a golf tournament at the "very fancy" Glen Oak Club!

— who graduated from High School with DWP & me  
Joe Sladika and I watched much of the play. Donald did not play especially well — but did, nevertheless, come in 5th out of 58. On a good day, he could have easily come in first. Let's hope that takes place on 7/28 at Glen Oak Country Club.



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**Thursday July 20th, 2000****AGA Junior Tournament*****Honesdale Golf Club******TEE-TIMES******9:00 am SHOTGUN START******YOU MUST BE REGISTERED BY 8:30am***

1a	Jeff Manasek	Colin Hopkins	Eric Weilage	
✓ 1b	Donald Powell	Corey Helfrich	Mike Hronich	
2a	Jason Weilage	Ty Ehliis	Jason Fiore	
2b	Matt Colgan	Damon Skovish	Tony Tosh	
3a	Justin Dephillips	Tommy Lyons	Jerry Corrigan	
3b	Zack Tamblyn	Justin Betti	Matt Tracy	
4a	Kyle Reeves	Mike Russin	Josh Morgan	
4b	A.J. Gentile	David Keib	Mike Dominick	
5a	Eddie Skorupa	Matt Katyl	Larry Abrams	
5b	David Hoffman	Ross Tolerico	Frank Blewitt	
6a	Seth Button	Bart Rickard	Kevin Busteed	
6b	Ronnie Fitser	Sean Walton	Tyler Brewington	Adam Kosic
7a	Jordan Rodriguez	Nick Rozdilski	Mike Hischak	
7b	Justin Novajosky	Joshua Malinowski	Curtis Keiper	Tim Wisniewski
8a	Jason Pensack	Kevin Spinozza	Josh Johnson	
8b	Dave Olver	Jim Rogers	Dave Osborne	Sean Pedley
9a	Brian Saslo	Carmen Winters	Chris Katyl	
9b	Pete Schott	Colin Boeker	James Lahr	Matt Lynott

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\*Directions from 81; Carbondale Exit (6/Casey Hwy) stay straight for approx 23 miles and you will see Wayne Memorial Hospital make first left after hospital, then next left up hill.

[Juniors Home]

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Such pleasure it gave DWP II to see his name on this tee-time list on the Internet. He placed 5th in this tournament with a score of 84. On 7/28, he will move into the next level (the finals) at the Championship tournament at Glen Oak Country Club.



today

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7/21/00 — "Yellow" Card received from PA  
Department of Agriculture. My flock  
is, therefore, declared to be pullorum-  
free. Card valid from 6/19/00 — 6/19/01.

Thank goodness. The birds have  
also all been vaccinated <sup>on 7/14/00</sup> and, to  
date, I see no negative con-  
sequences of the vaccination.

Hopefully, there will be none.

The time to separate the cockerels  
from the rest of the flock is  
drawing near. I can't stand to  
see them mess up the feathers of  
their sisters — all of whom are  
just now starting to lay. I  
have about 8 standard Silver-  
Penciled Rock pullets that should  
be superb show specimens in  
a couple of months.

7/23/00-1 5:15 A.M.

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after several days of not feeling as fully energized as usual, I am once again back to normal, and I must say, it is a good feeling.

Went to Elkdale yesterday afternoon and cut about  $\frac{3}{4}$  of the Cemetery. Beautiful summer day. The smell of the freshly cut grass reminded me of early Spring. Later today I will return to Elkdale and complete the job.

On Monday, a couple of the members of Donald's work crew here at the Golf Course and I will go to the Elkdale Cemetery with weed wackers and do the trimming in the Cemetery — and complete the job. I have been working on my Elkdale Cemetery papers and in a week or two they should be ready for publication in the microfilm format.



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I have been watching a 4-tape video titled Wagner that I am borrowing from Joe Pascoe. What a wonderful experience it is to watch such high velocity artistic energy in action!

It's imperative to be reminded — on a daily basis — that there is a lot more to life than the usual nine-to-five routine.

I have known that fact for about 50 years now. But one has to be reminded of it frequently — very frequently; otherwise one can easily get trapped/cornered by the most prosaic of empirical events. And right now I am listening to a beautiful performance of Berlioz's Symphonie fantastique (Mutti; Philadelphia Orchestra).

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This music, of course, brings to mind the fact that it was the notion of an "idée fixe" in music that Berlioz introduced that led to Wagner's use of leitmotifs in his stupendous musical oeuvre. How I would like to go to Paris again! I wonder if it will ever be possible to do so? Perhaps in about ten years. I could go with DWP II. We could go to Scotland to golf; Wales; England - and France. DWP II and SRP could do a tour! a visit to Venice would be obligatory - of course.

Yesterday was Russell's birthday. He was born in 1946.



7/23/00

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Chants d'Auvergne by Marié-Joseph Canteloube de Malaret (1879-1957) - sung by Kiri Te Kanawa: very beautiful. Earth-connected songs from the Auvergne. Until a few minutes ago, I didn't realize that Canteloube was alive in the mid-20th Century. I assumed that he was a late-19th Century composer. But then, like R. Vaughan Williams he went into the field to record "local" music before it all disappeared forever.

The content of the June-July issue of the CPAC Newsletter is all set; copies will be picked up and collated & inserted into the mailing envelopes & mailed -- tomorrow.

This afternoon I will finish mowing the Elkdale Cemetery.

7/23/00

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RETIREMENT IS DEAD. IT'S BEEN REPLACED BY  
A NOVEL CONCEPT CALLED LIVING.

I "retired" on March 31st — and I am very glad I did. I have gotten so much done in the period since then and, once again, I have the clear impression that I have some degree of control over my life. It was a courageous step to take — and I'm glad I took it.



8-1-00

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no, it was Bob Murphy  
508-429-6172

Bob Rhodes phoned today to invite me to judge at the Boston show on October 28-29. Delighted & honored. I'll e-mail him tomorrow with my acceptance.

That makes six shows that I have been asked to judge this Fall:

Bath - 9/10

North Iowa - 9/16-17

Cobleskill - 9/24

Garden State - 9/30-10/1

I'll judge  
four  
weeks  
in a  
row

Weekend of 10/7-8 - open - then  
four more weeks of poultry  
activity:

SRP  
not  
a  
judge

10/14-15 - Bloomsburg <sup>auction &</sup> Show

10/21-22 - Yankee Classic & APA

National in Canada

Boston - 10/28-29

Maryland State - 11/4-5

SRP will judge.

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Very gratifying. I look forward to it. It appears that the only shows that I will be able to show at are Danbury, Yankee Classic, Virginia (if I go), and Columbus (if I go). I love to show birds — but I love to judge them as well. For the time being, I will have to forego, more or less, the pleasure of showing.

8/2/00 — 8 30 Am —

Phoned Bob Murphy and told his wife (?) that I would be pleased to judge at the Boston Show this year.

Female: "OK, I'll tell him when he comes in."



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Wayne County Historical Society  
810 Main Street P.O. Box 446  
Honesdale, Pa. 18431

12 July 2000

Mr. David J. Dorworth  
Chief of Site Selection And Environmental Review Board  
Federal Bureau of Prisons  
Department of Justice  
Washington D.C. 20534

RE: United States Penitentiary - Canaan Township, Pennsylvania  
Resolution of Adverse Effects

Dear Mr. Dorworth:

I am the president of the Wayne County Historical Society and am writing you on behalf of the Society's Board of Trustees.

Apparently you still fail to recognize the link in our history that the D&H steam railroad provided and that it was very much the same company that created the gravity railroad and the canal. You fail to understand the importance of tourism to this area and that people who come to hike the trails be they just hikers or railroad buffs or history buffs are not looking for a *short cut along a new road by the prison fence*.

When we presented you with a list of possible mitigation that we considered more reasonable than the tokens you were offering you asked "Couldn't you do these projects much better and more rapidly with the FBP as partners than on your own?" We answered that if the prison came and disrupted part of our history and trail, we would have to have you as partners to recover from the damage. You indicated that this was possible and asked us to put together more specific requests with associated costs.

You have responded with the same tokenism that you offered in the beginning and obviously had no intention of partnering with anyone or having the prison be a "good citizen" of Wayne County. I can only express our sincere disappointment in your lack of candor and your lack of concern for our history and recreational needs as shown by your empty promises.

We are disappointed that you signed the MOA before the promised discussion. We hope that the Harrisburg meeting will prove fruitful for the people of Wayne County.

Sincerely,

Harry W. Hillier, President  
WCHS Board of Trustees

Cc: B. Barrett, Director PHMC  
C. Dwin-Vaughn, ACHP  
Far View Tracks to Trails  
Carbondale Historical Society ✓  
Waymart Area Historical Society  
National Trust for Historic Preservation

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Subject: [No Subject]

Date: July 24, 2000 12:53:30 PM EDT

To: [Annmarie Margotta <annmargotta@juno.com>](#) [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

July 24, 2000

Annmarie:

Yes, only Martha would know.

Alka-Seltzer seems to be the new "miracle drug" for use around the house.  
Who would have thought!

Thanks again for the zucchini pickles--and the recipe. They are wonderful.  
It's hard to believe that it works. You would think that the squash would be  
too soft to work well as a pickle. You would think that you would get a jar  
of mash--and not pickles.

Live and learn.

I keep staring at my tomato plants and waiting patiently for RESULTS. I want  
to be overwhelmed with tomatoes.

See ya.

Robert



**CARBONDALE HISTORICAL SOCIETY  
and MUSEUM, INC.**

Post Office Box 151, Carbondale, PA 18407

Phone: 570-282-0385

Working on behalf of Carbondale's Past, Present, and Future

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July 28, 2000

Mr. John Reuther, President  
Pioneer American Bank  
41 North Main Street  
Carbondale, PA 18407

Dear Mr. Reuther:

The portraits of the former presidents and directors of the First National Bank, which are currently on display on the fourth floor of the Pioneer American Bank building in Carbondale, constitute an important visual record in Carbondale's history.

Not only did these presidents and directors play an important role in the history of the First National Bank, many of them, at the same time, were important leaders in the community.

Given the consolidations and mergers that are taking place in the banking world at present, the possibility exists that the bank's collection of portraits of former First National presidents and directors might someday be broken up or removed from the city of Carbondale.

The Carbondale Historical Society has a strong commitment to preserving our local history and making it accessible to the present and all future generations of Carbondalians.

In the event that the bank's collection of portraits of former First National presidents and directors might someday be regarded as redundant in the present banking environment, the Carbondale Historical Society would be

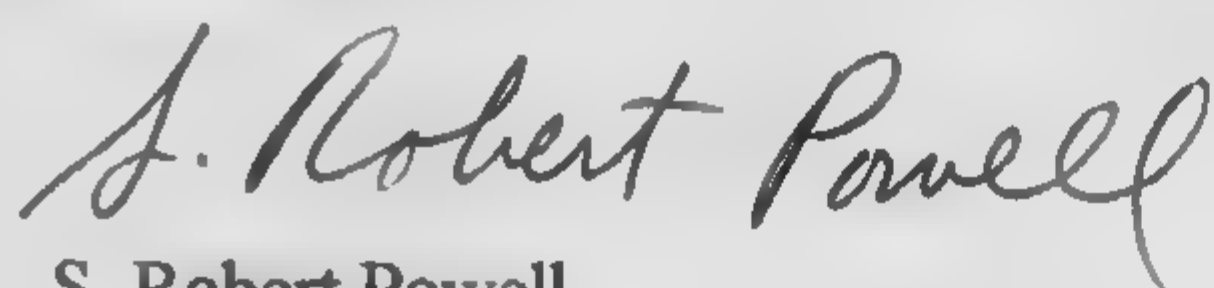
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Mr. John Reuther

pleased and honored to serve as the guardians of these portraits. In that capacity, we would maintain the integrity of the collection and proudly display these important portraits, for all to see and enjoy, in our exhibition galleries on the third floor of Carbondale City Hall.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "S. Robert Powell". The signature is fluid and elegant, with the first letters of each word being capitalized and prominent.

S. Robert Powell  
President



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Friday July 28th, 2000

**AGA Junior Tournament of Champions****Glen Oaks Country Club****TEE-TIMES**

8:00	Pat Cummings	Jim Rogers	Adam Ceresko
8:09	Mitch Marino	Nick Paone	Aaron Yorkonis
8:18	Justin Alluni	Chris Swales	Joe Lynch
8:27	Jeff Sadowski	Sean Janowicz	Tyler Brewington
8:36	Timothy Rutkowski	Aaron McCandrew	Bill Burke
8:45	Kevin Mitchell	Sean Menon	Nick Tomaine
8:54	Chris Swales	Larry Abrams	Jason Pensak
9:03	Mike Vegari	Shea Bittenbender	Jeff Howanitz
9:12	Bill Briggs	Mike Brown	Eddie Barna
9:21	Vince Scarpetta	Eric Steindel	Mike Sterchak
9:30	Jordan Rodriguez	Kyle Wruble	Steve Scarpetta
9:39	Brian Saslo	Mike Hischak	Justin Boyer
9:48	Mike Lucchino	Jeff Jones	David Yurko
9:57	Chris Lynn	Robbie Hotchkiss	Jeff Slivinski
10:06	Kevin Busteed	Will Geiger	Ross Tolerico
10:15	Dave Kieb	Dave Osborne	Matt Barrett
10:24	Tim Zearfross	Mike MacArt	Bruce Judge
10:33	Bart Rickard	Corey Mcalarney	Brian Collins
10:42	Mike Trescavage	Michael Brown	Don Powell
10:51	Thomas Abbel	Mark Sciabacucchi	Chris Killiany
11:00	Mary Pauline Moran	Catie Lauver	Kathleen Moran

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Donald placed  
11th or 12th,  
with a score  
of 83

11/23/00

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Welcome to the  
**Anthracite Golf  
Association**

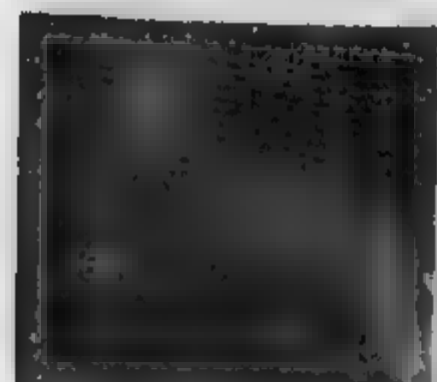
617 Keystone Ave., Peckville PA 18452, (570) 383-GOLF Fax: (570) 383-

The Anthracite Golf Association is an Organization with over 45 years experience, with an excess of 40 member Golf Clubs, both private and private, in 11 counties in Northeastern Pennsylvania.

The Anthracite Golf Association provides quality golf tournaments for a variety of ages and skills of golfers. We conduct, Junior Tournaments, as well as Instruction, Senior Tournaments, Men's Tournaments, Junior Tournaments and Mid-Am Events.

The Anthracite Golf Association also provides many services, such as USGA Course Ratings, Laser Sighted Measuring Services, Lightning Detection Services, Tournament Equipment, and Rules & General Golf Information

The Anthracite Golf Association also assist's in running U.S. Open Qualifying Tournaments, NCAA Tournaments, Pennsylvania Golf Association Tournaments, and will assist with the BUY.COM Tour, Steamtown Classic.



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*Exclusively*

*AGA Scholarships*

*AGA Triya Challenge*

*Rules of Golf Quiz*

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## AGA Junior Tour

617 Keystone Ave.  
Peckville, PA 18407  
(570) 383-GOLF  
Fax: (570)383-4654

### TOURNAMENT OF CHAMPIONS AT GLEN OAK C.C. JULY 28, 2000

Over 350 applications were received for the 2000 AGA Juniors Program. Of these applications, they were divided into groups based upon age and ability. Over the summer 8 Junior Tournaments were conducted at various clubs throughout North East PA. The players who had finished in the top five, as well as the players who continuously showed both ability and respect for the game have qualified for this year end event.

The 2000 Junior Tournament Event will be at Glen Oaks C.C., and bring together 63 of the best junior golfers in 12 counties in Northeastern Pennsylvania. The golfers will compete for the individual 2000 season champion.

#### TEE TIMES

#### RESULTS

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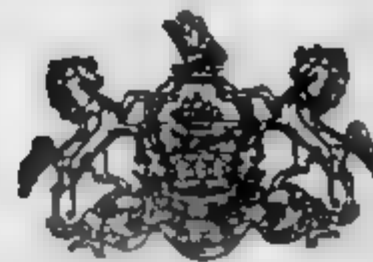
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Donned did not have a  
good game - but still  
managed to come out  
in the top 20%; he  
rode to and from the  
tournament with  
Patrick Lloyd

BUREAU OF INDIVIDUAL TAXES  
INHERITANCE TAX DIVISION  
DEPT. 280601  
HARRISBURG, PA 17128-0601

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA  
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE

NOTICE OF INHERITANCE TAX  
APPRAISEMENT, ALLOWANCE OR DISALLOWANCE  
OF DEDUCTIONS AND ASSESSMENT OF TAX



REV-1547 EX AFP (12-99)

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S ROBERT POWELL  
RR1 BOX 40  
CARBONDALE PA 18407

DATE 07-24-2000  
ESTATE OF POWELL HELEN R  
DATE OF DEATH 10-29-1999  
FILE NUMBER 35 99-1447  
COUNTY LACKAWANNA  
ACN 101

Amount Remitted

MAKE CHECK PAYABLE AND REMIT PAYMENT TO:  
REGISTER OF WILLS  
LACKAWANNA CO COURT HOUSE  
SCRANTON, PA 18503

CUT ALONG THIS LINE

RETAIN LOWER PORTION FOR YOUR RECORDS

REV-1547 EX AFP (12-99) NOTICE OF INHERITANCE TAX APPRAISEMENT, ALLOWANCE OR  
DISALLOWANCE OF DEDUCTIONS AND ASSESSMENT OF TAX

ESTATE OF POWELL HELEN R FILE NO. 35 99-1447 ACN 101 DATE 07-24-2000

TAX RETURN WAS: (X) ACCEPTED AS FILED ( ) CHANGED

RESERVATION CONCERNING FUTURE INTEREST - SEE REVERSE

APPRAISED VALUE OF RETURN BASED ON: ORIGINAL RETURN

1. Real Estate (Schedule A)	(1)	.00	NOTE: To insure proper credit to your account, submit the upper portion of this form with your tax payment.
2. Stocks and Bonds (Schedule B)	(2)	51,608.00	
3. Closely Held Stock/Partnership Interest (Schedule C)	(3)	.00	
4. Mortgages/Notes Receivable (Schedule D)	(4)	.00	
5. Cash/Bank Deposits/Misc. Personal Property (Schedule E)	(5)	3,633.00	
6. Jointly Owned Property (Schedule F)	(6)	188,506.00	
7. Transfers (Schedule G)	(7)	.00	
8. Total Assets	(8)	243,747.00	

APPROVED DEDUCTIONS AND EXEMPTIONS:

9. Funeral Expenses/Adm. Costs/Misc. Expenses (Schedule H)	(9)	13,985.00	
10. Debts/Mortgage Liabilities/Liens (Schedule I)	(10)	.00	
11. Total Deductions	(11)	13,985.00	
12. Net Value of Tax Return	(12)	229,762.00	
13. Charitable/Governmental Bequests; Non-elected 9113 Trusts (Schedule J)	(13)	.00	
14. Net Value of Estate Subject to Tax	(14)	229,762.00	

NOTE: If an assessment was issued previously, lines 14, 15 and/or 16, 17 and 18 will reflect figures that include the total of ALL returns assessed to date.

ASSESSMENT OF TAX:

15. Amount of Line 14 at Spousal rate	(15)	.00	x .00 =	.00
16. Amount of Line 14 taxable at Lineal/Class A rate	(16)	229,762.00	x .06 =	13,786.00
17. Amount of Line 14 taxable at Collateral/Class B rate	(17)	.00	x .15 =	.00
18. Principal Tax Due	(18)			13,786.00

TAX CREDITS:

PAYMENT DATE	RECEIPT NUMBER	DISCOUNT (+) INTEREST/PEN PAID (-)	AMOUNT PAID
01-28-2000	AA366965	689.30	23,000.00

TOTAL TAX CREDIT	23,689.30
BALANCE OF TAX DUE	9,903.30CR
INTEREST AND PEN.	.00
TOTAL DUE	9,903.30CR

Refund rec'd 8-11-00

\* IF PAID AFTER DATE INDICATED, SEE REVERSE FOR CALCULATION OF ADDITIONAL INTEREST.

( IF TOTAL DUE IS LESS THAN \$1, NO PAYMENT IS REQUIRED. IF TOTAL DUE IS REFLECTED AS A "CREDIT" (CR), YOU MAY BE DUE A REFUND. SEE REVERSE SIDE OF THIS FORM FOR INSTRUCTIONS.)



**Carbondale Public Library**  
**Meeting of the Board of Directors**  
**June 20, 2000**

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Directors of the Carbondale Public Library took place on June 20, 2000 in the Board Room of the Library. Present were Mesdames Miley, Calabro, Race, Muldon. Messieurs Pascoe, Matylewicz, Langan, Mattise, Wallis, Staple, Vandenberg, and Powell.

The recording secretary read the minutes of the May 16, 2000 meeting. Two corrections (one regarding the new flag on the Library's flagpole, one regarding the date of the Martha Stewart program at the Library) were called for. With those corrections made, it was regularly moved (Miley) and seconded (Pascoe) that the minutes be approved and place on file. The motion carried.

Several Board members commented on how nice the pictures looked in the Board room and thanked President Langan for his work on the picture project.

Patricia Calabro read the treasurer's report for May 2000. It was regularly moved (Matylewicz) and seconded (Staple) that the report be approved as read and placed on file. The motion carried.

**CORRESPONDENCE.**

Patricia Calabro read the memo of June 8, 200 from Sally Felix to Jack Foley at LA Bank regarding CD 1409024687 and mortgage payments for the Carbondale Library. The Lackawanna County Library System will liquidate the CD just named (\$63,085.41) on its maturity date, June 13, 2000. Those funds will be used to pay nine full months' (July 2000 up to and including March 2001) and one partial month's (April 2001) mortgage on the loan for the Carbondale Public Library. With that payment, the Lackawanna County Library System will have fulfilled its obligation according to the terms of its guaranty of the loan taken out by the Carbondale Public Library for the construction of the new library building. This means that in April 2001, the Carbondale Library will have to start paying the mortgage on the building.

**LIBRARY DIRECTOR'S REPORT**

Anne reported that staff member Dorothy Peduto had recently had a slight heart attack and that staff member Fran Grecco had her gall bladder out "last Thursday." Anne also reported that Jim Schmidt and his wife, from Waymart, had recently planted flowers in front of the Library building.

#### COMMUNITY PROGRAMS

The recent Italian/American program at the Library, co-sponsored by UNICO, was well attended and a very nice success for the Library. Every year there will be a community program at the Library about a different ethnic group in the community. Robert Powell's program at the Library on Martha Stewart's visit to the 1997 spring show of the Central Pennsylvania Avian Club will take place on July 12. Kathryn Race will take charge of refreshments and will make Welsh cookies and lemonade for the occasion. Martin Langan will provide a cake.

#### FINANCE COMMITTEE

The County Library board feels that the Carbondale Library has not done much to raise funds to pay for the new Carbondale building. The County believes that the Carbondale Library should conduct a professional capital fund drive, that we should pay someone to come in and do it. Patricia Calabro: "We should have a special meeting and ask Jack Foley to come and explain where we are with regard to meeting our financial obligations. The County would like to see a plan from the Carbondale Library on where we are going with regard to funding. If we plan to go out after big money, we had better do it in the next six months, because Interboro is going to start looking for funding."

A discussion took place on how much money would be required to name the building in honor of or in memory of someone. The sum of \$500,000 was mentioned. Community Room, \$100,000; children's room, \$150,000; reference room \$250,000.

555 fund-raising letters were recently sent out; 83 replies have been received to date, with a total of \$9,685.00 pledged or received.

Mystery Dinner: to take place on September 15 at Durfee Parish Hall. The play is called "Reading Aunt Louise's Will"; cost of the script, \$255. It was mentioned that it would be good if we could get Carl Kennedy and Dr. Peter Pettinato involved in the mystery dinner.



#### FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY

The cost of the round trip bus trip to Cooperstown on September 30 is \$35 (which includes round trip transportation and tour admissions). There are 45 seats on the bus. There is a lunch option: \$7.95 for chicken and biscuits; \$8.95 for beef burgundy. The bus will leave from the Carbondale Area High School parking lot.

On June 8, Molly Philbin from the SCOLA office in Scranton came to a Friends meeting at the Library and spoke about adult reading programs.

With no further business to conduct, the meeting was adjourned at 8:45 P.M.

S. Robert Powell  
Recording Secretary

Bill Wallis showed the Board a flyer that he had recently received from the magazine *Aviation History*. Bill Wallis: "If you return this survey form, they will send you a free issue of the magazine. In addition, you can get copies of these 14 articles that were published in *Aviation History*. One of the articles is about Jack Race. It's called "The Flight that Surrendered the Reich"—A modest young American pilot, Jack Race, flew Colonel General Alfred Jodl from Luneburg to Reims on May 6, 1945, where Jodl surrendered the fragmented remains of the Third Reich to the Allies." Kathryn Race (Mrs. Jack Race) is a member of the Board of Directors of the Carbondale Public Library.

**Carbondale Public Library**  
**Meeting of the Board of Directors**  
July 18, 2000

**PRELIMINARIES**

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Directors of the Carbondale Public Library took place on July 18, 2000 in the Board Room of the Library. It was called to order by President Martin Langan at 7:45 P.M. Present were Mesdames Miley, Calabro, Race, Muldoon, and McNabb; Messieurs Pascoe, Matylewicz, Langan, Mattise, Staple, Vandenberg, Brown, and Powell.

The recording secretary read the minutes of the June 20, 2000 meeting. It was regularly moved (McNabb) and seconded (Pascoe) that the minutes be approved and place on file. The motion carried.

Patricia Calabro read the treasurer's report for June 2000. It was regularly moved (Staple) and seconded (Pascoe) that the report be approved as read and placed on file. The motion carried.

**COMMITTEE REPORTS**

**Fund Raising Committee**

Pat Calabro reported that plans are proceeding apace for the mystery dinner, *Reading Aunt Louise's Will*, on September 15. We still need a caterer and a name for the group in the play; also a name for the café in the play. With an ad book, we can easily make \$1,000. We need a ticket coordinator. We need a publicity person.

**Community Programs**

Kathryn Race commented that Robert Powell's program at the Library on July 12<sup>th</sup>, on the Martha Stewart visit, hosted by Robert Powell, to the Central Pennsylvania Avian Club's spring show in May 1997 in Bloomsburg, was an "excellent evening—very enjoyable and very informative." Robert remarked that, speaking as the person who presented the program, it did not trouble him at all that the program was poorly attended, but that, speaking as a member of the Library Board, it troubled



him a great deal that 80% of the Library Board members were not present at the program, which was an event sponsored by the Library.

### **Building Committee**

The Committee reported that there is a leak by windows at the second floor level in the entrance hall of the Library building. The Committee recommended that the contractor who built the building, Scartelli, be contacted to find out how to solve the problem.

### **Friends of the Library**

Kathryn Race reported that there are only seven seats left on the bus for the Friends-sponsored trip to Cooperstown on September 30.

## **OLD BUSINESS**

### **Fund Raising**

Jack Foley from the LA Bank and several Board members met with Sally Felix and Anne Muldoon on June 5. The County's last mortgage payment has been made. It will carry us up to February 6, 2001. We have to make the payments beginning on March 6, 2001. We then have a couple of options. We can have the bank re-amortize the loan at that time. The Board decided to put off until January a motion to re-amortize the loan. We currently have enough money in the building fund to make 15 payments—through May 6, 2002. Without any other changes to the loan, we will have to raise \$55,092 each year for the next nine years to pay off the loan. Jack Foley gave the Library a list of foundations that we might want to contact for additional contributions.

Father Matylewicz, Corrine McNabb, and Joseph Pascoe will meet and determine "realistic goals" for financial amounts to be assigned to portions or all of the Library building in the fund raising initiative, e.g., with a \$100,000 donation, the donor can have the Children's Library named as he chooses, etc.

### **Leave-a-Legacy**

Corrine McNabb will have her son hand-stamp the Library's correct phone number on the back to the several thousand Leave-a-Legacy mailing pieces that have been ready for mailing for over a year now. Nick Mattise will get a volunteer to help out in the final preparations for this mailing.

**Friends Bake Sale**

Kathryn Race said that donated baked goods are needed for the Friends' stand at the Carbondale Day celebration at the Train Station on Sunday, August 13.

**Noise in the Library**

Robert Powell remarked that the various tutoring programs that take place in the public reading rooms of the Library are causing a noise problem and suggested that the tutoring take place in the Community Room. Robert suggested that "Quiet Please" signs be posted throughout the Library. Robert also suggested that a sign giving notice that "gentlemen will remove their hats when in the Library" be posted by the entrance door to the Library. "We have no control over the conduct of Library patrons when they are not in the Library building," Powell remarked, "but when Library patrons are in the Library building, it is within our power to establish behavioral guidelines that must be followed. It's as simple as that. This is not a public park, nor is it a recreation room. It is a library."

Respectfully submitted,

S. Robert Powell  
Recording Secretary



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Thank you for banking with us.

 PNCBANK

The Thinking Behind The Money

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This deposit or payment is accepted subject to verification and to the rules and regulations of this bank. Deposits may not be available for immediate withdrawal. Receipt should be held until verified with your statement.

SERVICE REVIEW		
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ST. ROBERT POWELL - 1999 JIFFY LUBE SERVICE HISTORY

### JIFFY LUBE SERVICE HISTORY

DATE	MILEAGE	SERVICES	LEGEND
03/31/00	10,103	FS OTH	AF Air Filter
12/08/99	6,047	FS	FS Full Service
07/02/99	102,623	FS	OTH Other
02/11/99	97,379	FS TDF TOP	PCV Pcv Valve
11/15/98	93,936	FS AF PCV	RC Radiator Caps
03/10/98	90,947	FS	TDF Transmission Drain & Fill
11/17/97	78,351	FS RC TOP WB	TOP Top Offs
02/24/97	65,525	FS AF TOP	WB Wiper Blades
09/20/96	58,453	FS	
07/12/96	54,647	FS	
04/22/96	50,447	FS AF PCV WB	

### MANUFACTURER'S RECOMMENDED SERVICE INTERVALS

SERVICE	ACTION	MILES SINCE LAST SERVICE	PRICE
Oil	*Change Every 3,000 miles.	5,096	
Automatic Transmission	Change Fluid Every 100,000 miles.	No Record	
Interior Air Filter	Replace Every 15,000 miles.	No Record	
Fuel Filter	*Replace Every 12,000 miles.	No Record	
Cooling System	Change Coolant Every 150,000 miles or 60 months.	No Record	
Differential	*Change Lubricant Every 15,000 miles.	No Record	
Transfer Case	*Change Fluid More Frequently Off-road use may require more frequent lubrication.	No Record	
Tires	*Inspect/rotate Every 12,000 miles.	No Record	
OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS			
Air Filter	Replace AS NEEDED	+78,737	
Weather	Replace AS NEEDED	No Record	
Pcv	Replace AS NEEDED	+78,737	
Fuel Injectors	Service AS NEEDED	No Record	
Wipers	Replace AS NEEDED	+63,152	
Serpentine Belt	Replace AS NEEDED	No Record	

\* Indicates a severe service recommendation. Most cars operate under severe service conditions, so severe recommendations are shown when available.

Jiffy Lube joins many automobile industry experts in recommending oil changes every 3,000 miles. Otherwise, the recommendations above are based on vehicle manufacturers' recommendations as compiled and reported by Chek-Chart Publications, a nationally recognized provider of vehicle information. Your vehicle may not be equipped with all of the equipment for which a service recommendation is specified above. Your vehicle may have special equipment that requires different maintenance intervals.

"Severe Service" as defined by most automobile manufacturers, consists of operating a vehicle under any of the following conditions:

- Stop-and-go driving
- Idling for extended periods
- Frequent trips less than 10 miles
- Sustained, high speed driving in hot weather
- Driving in dust or sand
- Pulling trailers or heavy loads
- Taxi, police and ambulance-type driving
- Cold weather that prevents full engine warm-up



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# Your Social Security Statement

Prepared especially for **Silas R. Powell**

August 24, 2000

S0182  
SILAS R POWELL  
RR 1 BOX 40  
CARBONDALE PA 18407-9706  
[Barcode]

See inside for your  
personal information →

## ▼ What Social Security Means to You

We are pleased to send you this *Social Security Statement* to help you understand what Social Security means to you and your family. We encourage you to use it in planning your financial future. As the law requires, we will send you a new *Statement* showing your updated earnings record and your potential benefits each year. You should receive it about three months before your birthday.

Be sure to read this *Statement* carefully. If you think there might be a mistake, please let us know. That's important because your benefits will be based on our record of your lifetime earnings. Remember, the future's in your hands when you read your *Social Security Statement*.

### Social Security is for people of all ages...

Social Security is more than a retirement program. It can help you whether you're young or old, male or female, single or with a family. It can provide benefits if you become severely disabled and help support your family when you die. And it's there for you when you retire.

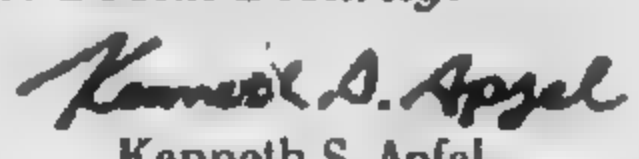
### Work to build a secure future...

Social Security is the largest source of income for most elderly Americans and plays a major role in keeping them out of poverty. But Social Security can't do it all. Social Security benefits were not intended to be the only source of income for you and your family when you retire. You'll need to supplement your benefits from a pension, savings or investments. Think of Social Security as a foundation on which to build your financial future.

### About Social Security's future...

Will Social Security be there when you retire? Of course it will. But changes will be needed to meet the demands of the times. We're living longer, healthier lives; 76 million "baby boomers" will start retiring in about 2010; and, in about 30 years, there will be nearly twice as many older Americans as there are today.

Social Security now takes in more taxes than it pays out in benefits. The excess funds are credited to Social Security's trust funds, which are expected to grow to over \$4 trillion before we need to use them to pay benefits. In 2015, we will begin to pay out more in benefits than we collect in taxes. By 2037, the trust funds will be exhausted and the payroll taxes collected will be enough to pay only about 72 percent of benefits owed. We're working to resolve these issues. For more information about the present and what may lie ahead, call us to ask for a copy of the booklet, *The Future of Social Security*.

  
Kenneth S. Apfel  
Commissioner of Social Security

### What's inside...

- ▼ Your Estimated Benefits ..... 2
  - ▼ Your Earnings Record ..... 3
  - ▼ Some Facts about Social Security ..... 4
  - ▼ If You Need More Information ..... 4
  - ▼ To Request This Statement in Spanish ..... 4
- (Para Solicitar Una Declaración en Español)



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## Your Estimated Benefits

To qualify for benefits, you earn "credits" through your work — up to four each year. This year, for example, you earn one credit for each \$780 of wages or self-employment income. When you've earned \$3,120, you've earned your four credits for the year. Most people need 40 credits, earned over their working lifetime, to receive retirement benefits. For disability and survivors benefits, young people need fewer credits to be eligible.

We checked your records to see whether you have earned enough credits to qualify for benefits. If you haven't earned enough yet to qualify for any type of benefits, we can't give you an estimate now. If you continue to work, we'll give you an estimate when you do qualify.

**What we assumed** — If you already have enough work credits, we then estimated the amount of your benefits, using your average earnings over your working lifetime. For your credits through 2000 and your earnings up to retirement, we assumed you'll continue to work and make about the same as the latest earnings shown on your record for 1998 or 1999.

We can't provide your actual benefit amount until you apply for benefits. And that amount may differ from the estimates stated below because —

- (1) Your earnings may increase or decrease over the years.
- (2) Your benefit figures shown here are only estimates based on current law, and the laws governing benefit amounts may change because, by 2037, the payroll taxes collected will be enough to pay only about 72 percent of benefits owed.
- (3) Other factors, such as receiving a pension for government work not covered by Social Security, may affect your benefit amount.

Generally, estimates for older workers are more accurate than those for younger workers because they're based on a longer earnings history with fewer uncertainties, such as earnings fluctuations and future law changes.

These estimates are in current dollars. As you receive benefits, they will be adjusted for cost-of-living increases.

- ▼ **Retirement** You have earned enough credits to qualify for benefits. At your current earnings rate, if you stop working...
- |  |    |       |         |
|--|----|-------|---------|
| At age 62, your payment would be about .....                           | \$ | 634   | a month |
| If you continue working until...                                       |    |       |         |
| your full retirement age (66 years), your payment would be about ..... | \$ | 897   | a month |
| age 70, your payment would be about .....                              | \$ | 1,244 | a month |
- Note:* When you continue working beyond your full retirement age, your benefit amount increases because of your additional earnings and the special credits you will receive for delaying your retirement. This increased benefit can be important to you later in your life. It also can increase the future benefit amounts your family and survivors could receive.
- ▼ **Disability** You have earned enough credits to qualify for benefits. If you become severely disabled right now...
- |                                   |    |     |         |
|-----------------------------------|----|-----|---------|
| Your payment would be about ..... | \$ | 822 | a month |
|-----------------------------------|----|-----|---------|
- ▼ **Family** If you get retirement or disability benefits, your spouse and children may also qualify for benefits.
- ▼ **Survivors** You have earned enough credits for your family to receive the following benefits if you die this year.
- |   |    |       |         |
|---|----|-------|---------|
| Total family benefits cannot be more than .....   | \$ | 1,457 | a month |
| Your child .....                                  | \$ | 630   | a month |
| Your spouse who is caring for your child .....    | \$ | 630   | a month |
| Your spouse who reaches full retirement age ..... | \$ | 840   | a month |
- Your spouse or minor child may be eligible for a special one-time death benefit of \$255.
- ▼ **Medicare** You have earned enough credits to qualify for Medicare at age 65. Even if you do not retire at age 65, be sure to contact Social Security three months before your 65th birthday to enroll in Medicare.

### We based your benefit estimates on these facts:

Your name ..... Silas R. Powell  
 Your date of birth ..... December 12, 1943  
 Your estimated taxable earnings per year after 2000 ..... \$24,012  
 Your Social Security number ..... 198-34-0586



## Help Us Keep Your Earnings Record Accurate

You, your employer and Social Security share responsibility for the accuracy of your earnings record. From the first year you began working, we recorded your reported earnings under your name and Social Security number. Since then, we have updated your record each time your employer (or you, if you're self-employed) reported your earnings.

Remember, it's your earnings — not the amount of taxes you paid or the number of credits you have — that determine your benefit amount. When we figure that amount, we base it on your average earnings over your lifetime. If our records are wrong, you may not receive all the benefits to which you are entitled.

▼ **Review this chart carefully** using your own documents (pay stubs, W-2 forms and tax returns) to make sure our information is correct.

▼ **Make sure we have recorded every year** you worked.

▼ **Check the earnings to see if they are correct.**

You are the only person who can look at the earnings chart and know whether it is complete. If you worked for more than one employer during the year, or if you had both earnings and self-employment income, we combined your earnings for that year.

▼ **Remember, there is a limit on the amount of earnings on which you pay Social Security taxes each year.** This limit usually increases yearly. Only the maximum amount that was taxable will appear on the chart. (For Medicare taxes, the maximum earnings amount began rising in 1991. Since 1994, all of your earnings are taxed for Medicare.)

▼ **Act right away if any of your earnings are shown incorrectly. Call us at 1-800-772-1213.** If possible, have your W-2 or tax return for those years available. (If you live outside the U.S., follow the directions at the bottom of page 4.)

### Your Earnings Record at a Glance

Years You Worked	Your Taxed Social Security Earnings	Your Taxed Medicare Earnings	Years You Worked	Your Taxed Social Security Earnings	Your Taxed Medicare Earnings
1960	\$ 558		1980	\$ 19,727	\$ 19,727
1961	529		1981	23,060	23,060
1962	0		1982	26,465	26,465
1963	712		1983	12,406	12,406
1964	0	Medicare began	1984	720	720
1965	1,329	in 1966	1985	6,628	6,628
1966	686	\$ 686	1986	6,360	6,360
1967	0	0	1987	7,250	7,250
1968	0	0	1988	7,975	7,975
1969	0	0	1989	8,175	8,175
1970	4,285	4,285	1990	6,705	6,705
1971	6,731	6,731	1991	16,835	16,835
1972	2,060	2,060	1992	9,184	9,184
1973	0	0	1993	17,264	17,264
1974	1,099	1,099	1994	11,819	11,819
1975	2,725	2,725	1995	17,656	17,656
1976	6,094	6,094	1996	21,547	21,547
1977	7,782	7,782	1997	25,299	25,299
1978	0	0	1998	24,034	24,034
1979	9,488	9,488	1999	24,012	24,012

### Totals over your working career:

Estimated taxes for Social Security:

You paid: \$19,480

Your employers paid: \$19,128

Estimated taxes paid for Medicare:

You paid: \$4,399

Your employers paid: \$4,366

**Note: If you are self-employed, you pay the total tax on your net earnings.**



## Some Facts About Social Security

### About Social Security and Medicare...

Social Security pays retirement, disability, family and survivors benefits. Medicare, a separate program run by the Health Care Financing Administration, helps pay for inpatient hospital care, nursing care, doctors' fees, and other medical services and supplies to people over 65 or to people who have received Social Security disability benefits for two years. Your Social Security covered earnings qualify you for both programs.

*Here are some facts about Social Security's benefits:*

- ▼ **Retirement** — If you were born before 1938, your full retirement age is 65. Because of a 1983 change in the law, the full retirement age will increase gradually to 67 for people born in 1960 and later.

Some people retire before their full retirement age. They can retire as early as age 62 and take their benefits at a reduced rate. Others continue working after their full retirement age. They receive higher benefits because of additional earnings and special credits for delayed retirement.

- ▼ **Disability** — If you become severely disabled before full retirement age, you can receive disability benefits after six months if you have:

- enough Social Security credits; and
- a physical or mental impairment that's expected to prevent you from doing "substantial" work for a year or more or a condition that's expected to result in death.

- ▼ **Family** — If you're eligible for disability or retirement benefits, your current or divorced spouse, minor children or adult children disabled before age 22 also may receive benefits. Each may qualify for up to 50 percent of your benefit amount. The total amount depends on how many family members qualify.

- ▼ **Survivors** — When you die, certain members of your family may be eligible for benefits:

- your spouse age 60 or older (50 or older if disabled, or any age if caring for your children under age 16); and
- your children if unmarried and under age 18, still in school and under age 19, or adult children disabled before age 22.

If you are divorced, your ex-spouse could be eligible for a widow's or widower's benefit on your record when you die.

### Receive retirement benefits and still work

You can continue to work and still get retirement benefits. If you are under your full retirement age, there are limits on how much you can earn without losing some or all of your retirement benefits. These limits change each year. When you apply for benefits, we'll tell you what the limits are at that time and whether work would affect your monthly benefits. When you reach your full retirement age, the earnings limits no longer apply.

**Before you decide to retire**, think about your benefits for the long term. Everyone's situation is different. For example, be sure to consider the advantages and disadvantages of early retirement. If you choose to receive benefits before you reach full retirement age, your benefits will be permanently reduced. However, you'll receive benefits for a longer period of time.

To help you decide when is the best time for you to retire, we offer a free booklet, *Social Security — Retirement Benefits* (Publication No. 05-10035), that provides specific information about retirement.

There are other free publications that you may find helpful, including:

- ▼ *The Future Of Social Security* (Publication No. 05-10055) — a discussion of the present and what may lie ahead;
- ▼ *Understanding The Benefits* (Publication No. 05-10024) — a general explanation of all Social Security benefits;
- ▼ *How Your Retirement Benefit Is Figured* (Publication No. 05-10070) — an explanation of how you can calculate your benefit;
- ▼ *A Pension From Work Not Covered By Social Security* (Publication No. 05-10045) — how it affects your Social Security retirement or disability benefits; and
- ▼ *Government Pension Offset* (Publication No. 05-10007) — a law that affects spouse's or widow(er)'s benefits.

We also have leaflets and factsheets with information about specific topics such as military service, self-employment or foreign employment. You can request Social Security publications by following the instructions in the **If you need more information...** section below.

### If you need more information...

If you have questions or want to request this *Statement* in Spanish (*Para solicitar Su Declaración en español*), call **1-800-772-1213**, contact your local Social Security office or reach us at [www.ssa.gov/mystatement](http://www.ssa.gov/mystatement) on the Internet. If you're deaf or hard of hearing, call TTY 1-800-325-0778. If your address is incorrect on this *Statement*, ask the IRS to send you an IRS Form 8822. We don't keep addresses for persons not receiving Social Security benefits.

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D&amp;H News from Carbondale

The Carbondale Historical Society and Museum has been awarded a TEA-21 grant for \$115,000, to establish a D&H Transportation Museum and Research Center in two rooms on the third floor of Carbondale City Hall and Courthouse.

The nucleus of the research and exhibition materials for this D&H research center and museum will be provided by the Carbondale Historical Society, which is also located on the third floor of City Hall, a National Register building.

Construction (new electrical system, plaster walls, and display cases) is expected to begin this October under the direction of S. Robert Powell, president of the Historical Society.

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(Rough Draft) *by SRP*

## EXCLUSIVE TO SIXTY MINUTES

To: Editors of *SIXTY MINUTES*

From: Grace DeFina  
Organization of Concerned Citizens  
Waymart, PA 18472

Date: September 15, 2000

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### Historical Town Taken Prisoner by Bureau of Prisons

The residents of the borough of Waymart and Canaan Township (Wayne County, PA) are fighting to save their community and its future in a pitched battle with the Federal Bureau of Prisons (BOP).

The battle (two other communities in Pennsylvania—Brush Valley and Phillipsburg—are fighting similar battles with the Bureau of Prisons) is over the BOP's plans to build a maximum-security prison on pristine agricultural lands in this historic community.

In so doing, the BOP will adversely impact not only important extant features of the Delaware and Hudson rail line, the first commercially successful railroad in the United States, that pass through this community but also the agricultural complex that was a key component of the Farview State Hospital (the only remaining example in Pennsylvania of a hospital for the mentally ill that was built according to the Kirkbride model) that is located in this community.

At the same, a Rails-to-Trails link will be permanently destroyed by the footprint of the prison project.

To date, the BOP has not followed legal guidelines established by the National Environmental Policy Act and the National Historic Preservation Act. Several community groups have attempted to consult with the BOP in an effort to avoid, minimize, or mitigate for damages caused by the siting of

the prison (which is to be built across the street from the community's elementary school and which will destroy the community's main street), but these groups have not been successful in their efforts to persuade the BOP to construct the proposed prison on an alternate site.

The quality of life and the historic resources of this community will be destroyed forever if the Bureau of Prisons is not persuaded to modify its plans for the siting of this maximum-security facility in the heart of rural small-town America.

The BOP will not recognize that there is significant community opposition to the siting of the proposed prison in the heart of this community. The community needs your help in presenting these facts to a larger audience and in curtailing the out-of-control behavior of the Bureau of Prisons in small-town America.

Hear our call for help!



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Hi Robert,

Thanks for working on the 60 mins piece. I am forwarding you a PRISONACT web-page.

Notice the documentary YES IN MY BACKYARD I spoke today with Tracy Huling the producer/writer of the documentary. She is very interested in our story. I forwarded her to the OCC web-site <http://occwayneconomy.webjump.com>

She is going to put our story out to National Media attention, as well as organizing a public screening/discussion for our community. As well work on a documentary featuring the FIGHT coming fro communities against prison explosion. She was fascinated by our story. Also she likes the HISTORICAL TOWN TAKEN PRISONER BY FBOP! Take a look at her stuff. Her knowledge on the topic was refreshing, sincere and she got the research. She will be angleing out documentary strategies for us. Will stay posted, give your fed back.

Grace

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September 6, 2000

Mr. Ron Delevan  
RMDI Locomotive and Car Services  
Post Office Box 791  
Pittston, PA 18640

Dear Mr. Delavan:

The Historical Society is now in the process of establishing a D&H Railroad Research Center and Transportation Museum on the third floor of Carbondale City Hall and Courthouse. In order to do so, we will rely on the expertise, guidance, and skills of many talented people, notably those with hands-on railroad experience, knowledge of museum management, and experience with civic and community organizations. One such person, with talents in all of those areas, is John Buberniak.

Is there a possibility that John might be available for a day or two in September or October, on a *pro bono publico* basis, to advise and guide our organization during the preliminary phases of this process?

When this D&H Railroad Research Center and Transportation Museum is a reality, we will, of course, publicly acknowledge the names of all those organizations who have made such a research center and museum a possibility, with a special emphasis on those organizations who have donated professional services and materials.

Sincerely,

S. Robert Powell  
President



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September 6, 2000

Mr. David G. Barber  
16 Ballou Road  
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Dear Mr. Barber:

Thank you for the copy of your *D&H Canal Guide* for our library. Be assured that we will give it the protection of a work that will be published. Yes, we will have a gift shop and will be pleased to carry your work when published.

We would be pleased to be listed in your list of D&H canal organizations at the end of your *D&H Canal Guide*. Here is a description of our organization:

**Carbondale Historical Society and Museum**

Located on the third floor of Carbondale City Hall, the Historical Society has a large quantity of D&H Gravity Railroad artifacts, including many D&H blueprints. The Society also has significant research materials on anthracite mining and railroads, as well as a large collection of birth/death/naturalization records for the city and the surrounding areas. Microfilm copies of Carbondale newspapers from the late 1820s to the present are available at the Carbondale Public Library.

We look forward to seeing in print your *D&H Canal Guide*.

Best regards,

S. Robert Powell  
President

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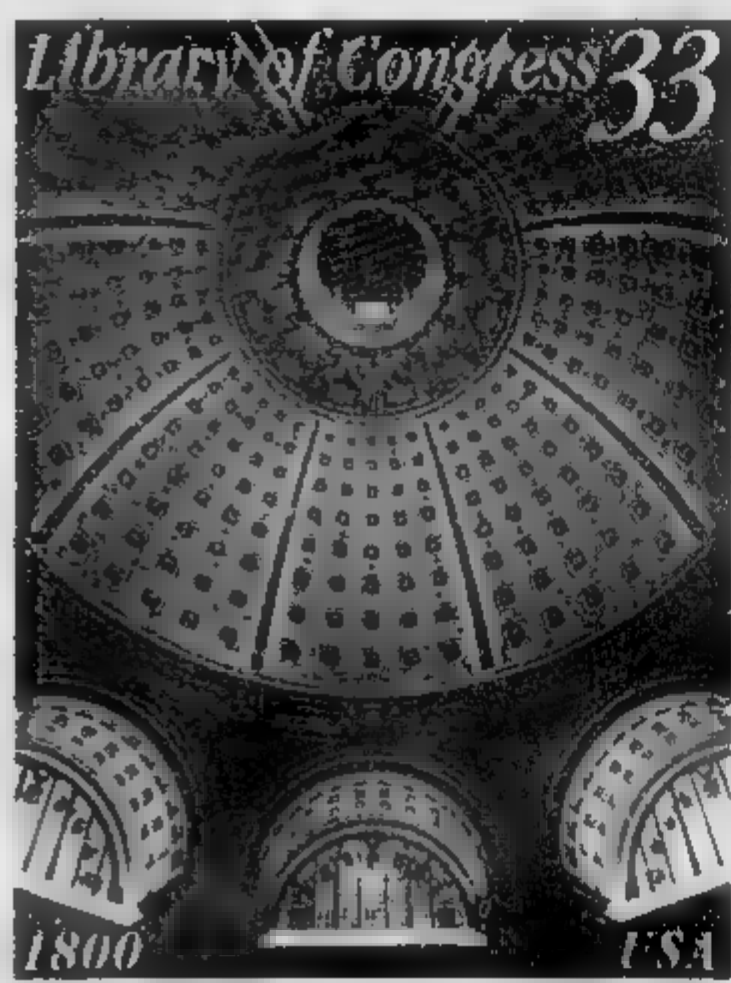


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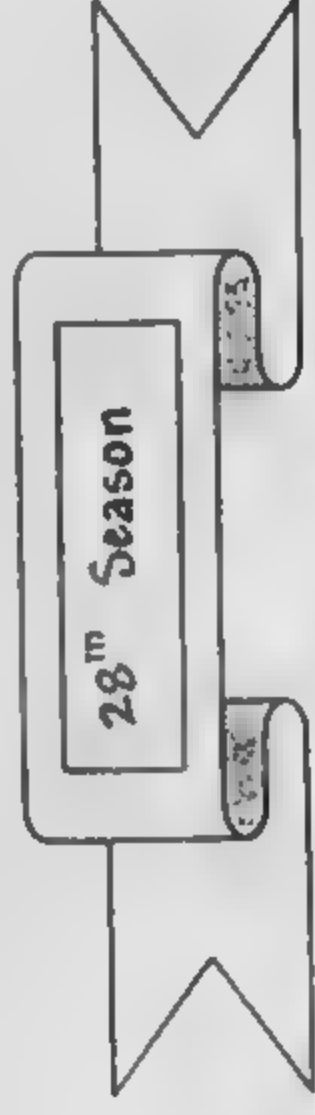
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Comedy by

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August 18, 19, 20, 25, 26, 27 Sept 1, 2

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Curtain 2:30 PM

# SQUABBLES

## CAST LIST

Abe Dreyfus..... Philip Jostrom  
 Jerry Sloan..... Sandy Gabrielson  
 Dick Vanner..... Bill Gable  
 Alice Sloan..... Susan Gabrielson  
 Sol Wasserman..... Skip Scamell  
 Mildred Sloan..... Molly Rodgers  
 Mrs. Fisher..... Marjorie C. Murphy

Time: The Present

Place: Alice and Jerry's home in Stamford CT.

## ACT ONE

Scene 1 - Early evening in July  
 Scene 2 - Afternoon the next day

## INTERMISSION

## ACT TWO

Scene 1 - Early one evening in March  
 Scene 2 - Later that evening  
 Scene 3 - Morning, four days later

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"Squabbles" is produced through special arrangement with  
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# SQUABBLES

## PRODUCTION CREW

Director..... Sandy Gabrielson  
 Set Construction..... Bill Gable,  
 Dick Murphy, Ed Buckmaster  
 Properties..... The Cast  
 Costumes..... The Cast  
 Lights and Sound..... Bill Gable  
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Performances on ✓

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Damn Yankees  
CAST LIST

Joe Boyd.....Jonathan Fehringer — *very mediocre*  
Meg Boyd.....Cindy Fehringer  
Mr. Applegate.....Sandy Gabrielson — *excellent*  
Sister.....Elizabeth Ferrer/Caroline Lehman\*  
Doris.....Nancy Chapin  
Joe Hardy.....Jonathan Fehringer  
Coach Van Buren.....Skip Scamell — *very good*

Ballplayers

Henry.....Mark Howard  
Sohovik.....Trevor Dyson  
Smokey.....Jon Gabrielson  
Linville.....Dan Waldron  
Rocky.....Bill Gable  
Mickey.....Phil Chapin  
Louie.....Barrett Kohrt

Gloria Thorp.....Jessica Gabrielson  
Lynch.....Grant Kretchik  
Welsh.....Tony Waldron  
Lola.....Alison Fehringer  
Miss Weston.....Debby Waldron  
Commissioner.....Pete Chapin  
Postmaster.....Paul DeFontes

ENSEMBLE

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Andrea Raffay.....Elizabeth Kuhn  
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Troy LaPersonerie.....Annie Williams

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PRODUCTION CREW

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Choreography.....Jessica Gabrielson, Alison Fehringer,  
Caroline Lehman  
Musical Director.....Florence Kreiger  
Lights.....Bill Gable  
Grand High-Exalted Mobil Radiant Energy Manager..Jon Chapin  
Stage Managers.....Grant Kretchik, Jess Gabrielson  
The Cast  
Stage Crew.....Debby Waldron  
Artistic Designer.....  
Set Painting.....Debby Waldron, Eliz. Ferrer, Nancy Chapin  
Costumes.....Debby Waldron  
Set Construction.....Bill Gable  
Concession Manager.....Dan Scamell  
Volunteer Usher Coordinator.....Vicky Waldron  
House Manager.....Ed Buckmaster

Pit Band

Piano.....Florence Kreiger  
Flute.....Lois Hazleton, Josie Madden, Dawn Krautter  
Oboe.....Andy Hazelton  
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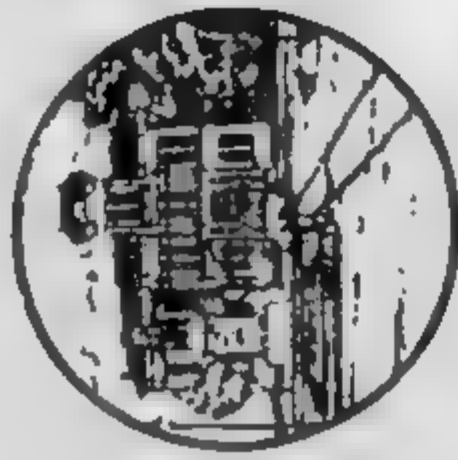
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## IMPACT

### Prison official told to stop work; don't play Russian roulette with 106 process

By JIM KALBAUGH

Preliminary excavation for the construction of the federal prison in Canaan Township has stopped after anxious bulldozers of bureaucracy were informed they had to do a better job of digging into local history and environment before permits to proceed could be issued.

*The Weekly Almanac* was the only news organization attending the four-and-a-half-hour-long Harrisburg meeting Friday morning, July 28, when the Federal Bureau of Prisons was advised to stop the work.

Before that meeting convened, ground behind a Canaan Road barn on the Farview State Farm complex was being scraped to prepare for staging and mobilizing equipment to be used in the project.

The advice to stop any further work that might inflame detractors' passions and imperil a procedure to assess the project's impact on the historic properties came in the State Historical Commission office when members of the Organization of Concerned Citizens (OCC) and local historical societies were meeting with engineers, contractors, consultants, PennDOT officials, architects, the federal Advisory Council on Historic Preservation, and State Historic Preservation Officer to discuss a mitigation process to resolve differences. One of the differences was that ground at the former Farview State Hospital Farm complex was being disturbed prior to the completion of an

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Mountains; and, we're not even halfway up the top," Mrs. Barna said.

Her main concern, she said, is the loss of the historical aspect of the trail, as well as potential income by developing it.

Robert Powell of the Carbondale Historical Society which is establishing a D&H Transportation Museum to show how the local railbed was a vital link between the Lackawanna and Hudson River Valleys bringing prosperity to those regions, said, "This railroad was the lifeblood of the communities through which it ran." The prison "adversely affects the focus of all of our historical organizations. We are

trying our best to achieve a focus for the next century at least...on the basis of this railroad and the heritage we have in that." He added that a part of that is being obliterated in the prison siting.

The railbeds designated by the EIS (Environmental Impact Statement) as "abandoned", Miss DeFina noted "were never, ever abandoned by this community."

"Our community...this is a living resource, a generational living resource. We walk on it. We pick our Spring flowers. We cross-country ski and ride horses on it," Ms. DeFina said. "It's a shame the FBP is certainly telling us, 'You don't belong here', and this hurts. This is a part of our cultural anthropology. This is part of who we are. This is impact to the environment of our culture as well as other biological things," she added.

"In the community we're very concerned how, in the face of executive orders which are mandating conservation, or working toward conservation, or preservation, of such a place, that this kind of project would supercede our commonwealth citizens' rights to have the executive order supported," she said.

"We're having a hard time to get the governor's office to stand by this support," she said. She

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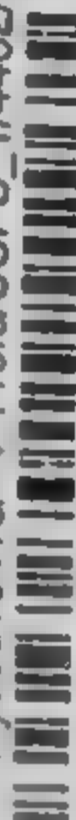
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SCRANTON, PA THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 2000

# Graveyard Arrests Could Mean End of Carbondale's Vandalism

BY MICHAEL BADOWSKI  
THE SCRANTON TIMES

CARBONDALE — It's been a tough couple of weeks for some Carbondale business owners who went to bed at night dreading what they might find when they returned to their stores the next morning.

But Carbondale police think they've made a dent in a recent vandalism outbreak when they nabbed six juveniles late Tuesday at the St. Rose Cemetery on Cemetery Street for vandalizing tombstones.

The juveniles will be petitioned for arrest and were released early Wednesday morning.

Carbondale Police Chief Dominick Andidora said more arrests are possible in the vandalism ring.

"Once we question the juveniles, we expect that we will find out there were more people involved," he said.

For at least two weeks, the department has been receiving

complaints from businesses around town that had been hit by vandals.

The group spray-painted graffiti on downtown businesses such as the Daily Grind on River Street, the Ben-Mar Restaurant on Main Street and Zazzera's Grocery Store on Church Street.

When the police realized they had an epidemic on their hands, Chief Andidora ordered extra patrols out during the night.

"But they didn't work," he said. "We used our cruisers for the extra patrols, and the juveniles had lookouts who could watch for police cars."

This week, the department switched gears, using unmarked cars and disguised officers in those cars to search for the individuals responsible.

The effort paid off Tuesday when one unit spotted vandals at the cemetery spray-painting tombstones. Chief Andidora said police believe some of the juveniles were involved in the vandalism of other property in the city.

"It's horrible that kids would even think of doing that, vandalizing tombstones," Chief Andidora said. "But now they know it's wrong and they're going to pay for it. And so will anyone else that we catch."

And it won't be cheap, either. The damage caused by the offenders reaches far into four figures, but most likely is below \$10,000, said Chief Andidora.

In addition, the juveniles will face charges of criminal mischief and vandalism. Carbondale Mayor John Jordan approved of the plan, and authorized the extra patrol.

The hunt is not over. Since the chief believes there are more vandals from the group who are still on the loose, he will employ the same type of patrol at least into the weekend, and probably longer.

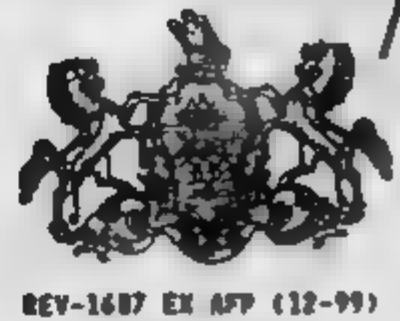
"We're going to make sure that we've got all of them," he said. "People should not have to worry about whether they'll wake up and their property will be destroyed."

*The cemetery on Cemetery Street is not Saint Rose Cemetery. It's Maplewood Cemetery.*

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*presentation  
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Waymart, PA 18472

September 26, 2000

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Hello,

Here I am, feeling bored and restless on this grey day, thinking of those who have shaken off the coils of Drudgery. Wondering how fare the golfers? How fare the chickens, turkeys, and other fowl?

I hear you've been busy with county fairs and chicken shows. Hope they were enjoyable, and fraught with blue ribbons. Our county fair doesn't have chickens, tho it does have cows--milk cows mostly. Thought of you and your herd. Any new additions? Did the one that was pregnant for our visit give birth successfully?

We talked at the Summer Solstice picnic of having another for the Vernal Equinox. What thinkest thou? I for one could use a day off from the routine. I've been harrassed all summer by the Laceyville town council over the placement of my trash cans, overgrowth of bushes, and other weighty issues. Your favorite stuff--"arbitrary nonsensical rules." I've decided to follow your example and cease to participate in such drivel. Told them so too. They didn't take it well. Actually, if it were happening to someone else, it would almost be funny. For every argument I made, they had an answer--even if in total they contradicted each other. For example--1. Why does the mayor speak to so-and-so Franklin personally, while sending the town cop to talk to me, thus treating people in town differently? "I didn't know who you are." [so ask someone, doofus!] 2. Why did he keep sending the cop to me about the bushes, even after I'd gotten fed up and said "If you don't like the bushes, talk to the landlord"? He didn't know Diane was my landlord, even though she's lived in town since 1985 and served on the Sewer Committee for years, and even though over the winter one of the council people asked her directly if she still owned the house. Whatever. One of their favorite rejoinders is "We're volunteers." [Duh! Last I knew no one ever had a gun held to their head forcing them to run for office] and "We don't get paid." [Duh! again. There are 7 (!) citizens for every council member. How could they possibly be paid? Why should they be? They don't do anything constructive]

Here's the best part--they've gotten a \$50,000 grant for "improvements," so they're going to make a town park next to the sewage treatment plant. I know I'll be using it a lot. They grumble about all the laws that restrict them (mostly disabled-access laws) and then turn around and write more laws to restrict the townspeople in their daily lives. So the answer to the question, "Does being elected to office automatically turn people into hypocrites?" is a resounding Yes. Thank God I didn't buy a house in town. You don't have any

Anyway, let me know about the picnic idea. Or maybe since the weather has mostly sucked we should try another NY trip, or an indoor picnic somewhere. Either way.

BTW, I don't know if we've corresponded since I got my new wheels. Green Honda CR-V. Very nice. Jeff has been able to live at home again. That should do us for a while, I hope.

Say Hi to your brother et al for me.

Beth



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**To:** Beth Thompson <[ethompson@harcourtbrace.com](mailto:ethompson@harcourtbrace.com)> [Add to Address Book](#)  
**CC:**

September 26

Beth:

I'm sorry about the delay in replying to your message of about 10 days ago. September and October, not unlike the other 10 months of the year, have a way of getting the best of me. It's been a lifelong problem.

The Autumnal Equinox has come and gone--unheralded and abandoned by the Harcourt voyagers/merrymakers. What to do? Last week, I was able to have lunch with Bev and Ginger and Kathy and there was some talk then of another New York trip this Fall. I'm always up for that. Finding a good day might not be easy--Bev's classes, Ginger's teaching schedule, and so on.

But we should not give up on trying to set a date for a get together. Given the complexity of everyone's weekend schedules, maybe you should all get "sick" on a weekday when the weather is very nice and we could have an autumnal "dejeuner sur l'herbe" in early October (when the leaves are in full color, etc.) at Merli-Sarnoski (without the mountain climbing)?

Robert

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To: s robert powell <[srobertpowell@juno.com](mailto:srobertpowell@juno.com)>  
Sent: September 26, 2000 8:30:38 PM GMT  
Subject: Re: Intergalactic visions and strawberry jam

Robert,

Good to hear from you. The equinox, indeed, crept up on us and then blew past with a burst of speed, like an Olympic sprinter going for gold. (How's that for a topical metaphor?)

I'm all for a "sick-out," except for the necessity of planning ahead while catching a day w/ good weather. This year, one hasn't known more than a day in advance whether the weather would be decent or crummy. Some days you don't even know until the fog burns off at 9:00. I'll defer to your Martha-honed luncheon-party instincts on the logistics, I think. If you think it can be done, then by Gum, so it can. We'd better not dawdle, however--"Early October" is only a couple of weeks away. (Definitely w/o the mountain-climbing, I think)

As for New York, I can go pretty much any time. We don't even need decent weather. If we can agree on a day a couple weeks ahead of time, I can have Jeff plan his days off accordingly, so he can go with us again. Perhaps we should have another lunch and bring our Day-Planners along.

I was sorry to miss you the last time. Can't say I was sorry to miss Gerrity's though. Not too exciting. I've even gotten tired of their salads--always the same stuff to put in them. I think I went to Catalano's that day for a take-out

We should definitely meet for lunch sometime soon. Maybe Friday?

Beth

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Yes, Friday would be a good day for lunch. I'll appear there at about 11:30 A.M.

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↑ DWP II's e-mail address —  
at his mother's house;  
given to me on 10/07/00

10-08-00, p.1

2000 Canning — a modest amount,  
but very gratifying

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— 5 quarts pickled Cauliflower —  
5 quarts (used recipe on p.37  
of 1987 edition of "Ball Blue  
Book.")

— 10 quarts "spaghetti sauce" —  
late September — SRP recipe —  
"Create as you go"

— 6 pints dilled green tomatoes  
10-06

— 8 quarts green tomato mincemeat  
SRP's recipe called "Mayflower  
Paz mincemeat"

— 2 quarts, 1 pint — SRP "spaghetti  
sauce"; 10-08

all done during a week end  
visit by PWP II.

10/8/00 - p. 2

- also made homemade scalloped potatoes and two pumpkin pies (from my own pumpkin) on 10/7/00

- DWP II + Dan Schust helped me move my pumpkin + gourd harvest to the front of the gray barn foundation - as an autumn display.

DWP II: "It looks very country."  
Yes, it does.

Mailed out about 120 copies of the 10-18-00 CPAC Newsletter on 10/6; my "test copy" was received on 10/7; Bob Anke + Larry Walbert also got theirs on Saturday.



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- Entered 10 Narragansetts in the CPBC show (10/15) & 10 in the Yankee Classic (10/21-22).
- Stephen Armitage-Green phoned again today at about 1 P.M. — all is set for our appearance on the NBC "Today" show on Wednesday, October 25th. I will <sup>travel</sup> down to NYC on 10/24 and stay overnight in a hotel & then be on the live television program in the morning. It should be quite an adventure. "DWP II", says DWP I, "would probably enjoy going along." "Excellent," said I.

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I am very pleased to know that the postage on the 10/18/00 CPAC newsletter was OK. I was sure that 55¢ would be enough - even though I didn't weigh them.

Received on Friday (10/6) the autumn 2000 issue of the APA's "News and Views". I am very pleased to see that my entire column was printed exactly as submitted. It's very impressive: fine full column and 2 partial columns (the beginning and the end). No one has ever had such extensive "notes" from

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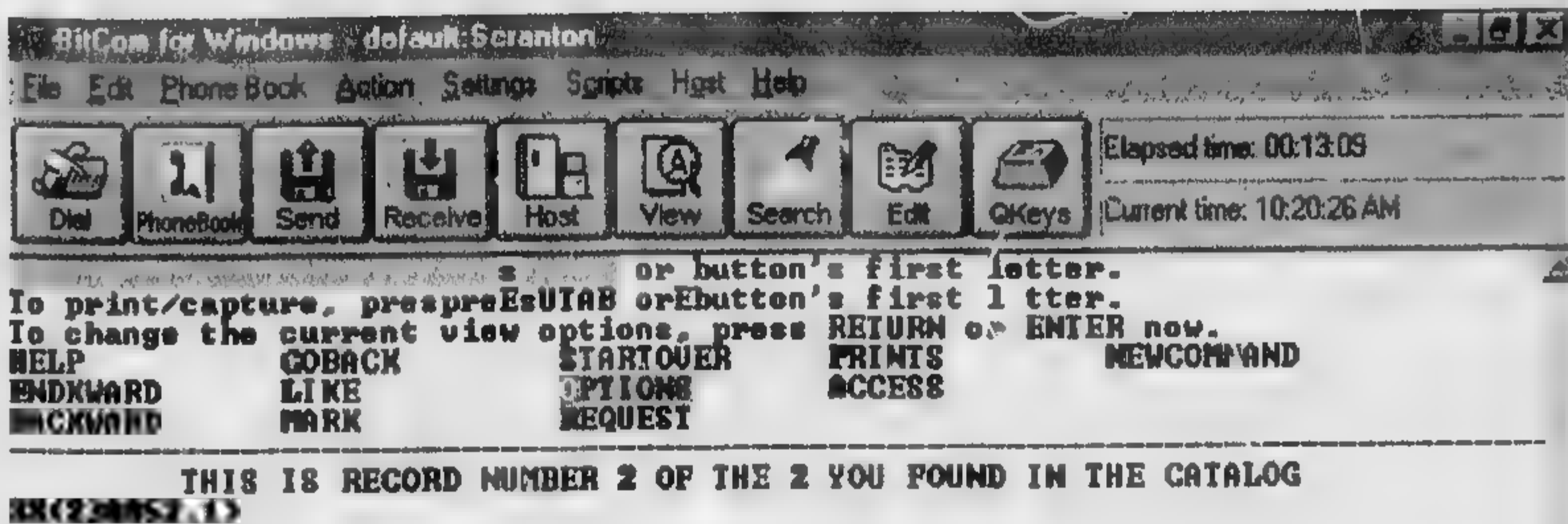
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any APA director. It looks great!  
It adds a wholly new dimension  
to the News and Views — and I'm  
sure there will be much positive  
feedback from the SRP column.

2:40 P.M. — Snow showers! Maybe  
hail is the word. 2:43 P.M. — now  
full sun. Very curious. Damp  
and windy & raw.  
I've been expecting <sup>yesterday & today</sup> John Peters  
(465-7591) to deliver a load of  
hay for the Herefords. Still  
no sight of John. I am hoping  
that he will arrive today, as  
I will be out of town for the  
next four weekends, and  
getting hay unloaded will be  
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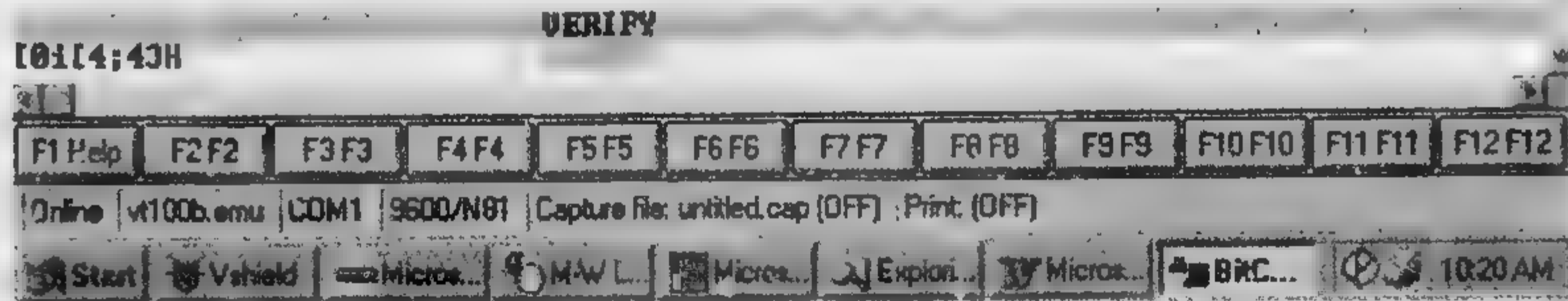


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my friend  
Jane

THE WEEKLY ALMANAC

OCTOBER 27 - NOVEMBER 2, 1999

## WAYMART WAYS

By JANE VARCOE  
488-6750

The grange building & land will  
probably be sold to Randy  
Howell in 2000; the organi-  
zation will probably then  
disband. What a shame!

As glad as the feeling of fall in  
the air,  
As bright as the colorful leaves  
everywhere,  
As warm as the mood of a rich  
harvest scene  
Are the wishes this brings for a  
nice

### HALLOWEEN

Sunday, Oct. 31, is Halloween and the Waymart Borough Council, the police and the merchants of the area are again sponsoring a bonfire and party at Wayside Park. Since Halloween is on a Sunday, the celebration will be from 4 to 7 p.m. only. Refreshments will be available for all to enjoy. Have a fun-filled and safe Halloween.

As part of the outreach of the Wayne County Public Library, an extension in the Community Room of Wayne Woodlands Manor is now available for everyone's use. You can go there and borrow books for adults and children. Available are Large Print Books, Books on tape, and videos also. Requests can be made for any material available in the county library. All you have to do is write out a request and, unless already loaned, it will be brought to the extension as soon as possible.

District Attorney Mark Zimmer gave a presentation at the RDW School PTA about the Internet, its use and abuse. Mr. Zimmer's talk provided guidelines which every parent should consider following to

safeguard a child's use of the Internet. If you would like a list of his suggestions contact the DA's office at the courthouse or call Mr. Jay Robbins or myself and we will get you a copy. Moosic Grange 041 is nestled by the side of the road in Curtis Valley. The grange has been there for 75 years plus. Granges are dedicated to serving the farmer and their surrounding community. Many Granges have closed as the farms have slowly disappeared. Their impact on the history of Wayne County as it developed provided a positive and supportive force in serving the farmer.

Last Sunday the members of Moosic Grange sat down together to enjoy a Harvest Dinner. Each person brought a covered dish to share and the table was laden with a variety of tempting dishes. Moosic Grange members and I enjoyed together what our farms have provided to all of us. The group was small but the fellowship was strong. Attending were: Robert Powell, Nick and Clara Buroff, Ruth Pranzitelli, Carl and Helene Manthei, and guests, George and Florence Crossman. Times change but hopefully some Granges will always remain in the fabric of Wayne County.

A bit from our history...  
Clinton Township was originally part of Canaan. On Nov. 17, 1834, it became its own township and was named for Dewitt Clinton.

← This was the final chapter in the long & distinguished history of the Moosic Grange



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Dear SRP:

I am ashamed to say that it's taken me this long to look at your wonderful and newsy website. I reread your mail from March just now, and was appalled to see it was from MARCH. Every so often I've remembered to take a look-see, but it's been a busy year, and I -- again, I'm a pitiful wreck for saying this -- simply never took the time to look at your creation, always thinking I could do it in the next day or so.

I imagine that you've received some great feedback about what must be an important communications nexus for your community. It's a great job.

On our end, we both finished hectic semesters, Andrea in nursing school and yours truly in acupuncture school. I am in the middle of a paper about omega-3 essential fatty acids for a nutrition course, and Andrea is in summer school, taking a Lit course and Microbiology. We ate omega-3-enriched eggs this morning. Delicious! A crucially important nutrient, but I won't bore you with the topic. But if you know anything interesting about chickens and such enrichment, let me know. A leading nutrition scientist, originally from Greece, says that chickens, in the days before commercial feeds, used to run around eating green vegetation, and that their eggs and meat normally contained much higher levels of EFAs than "modern" birds. I am quite taken with the topic

Andrea just looked at your work, and expresses her admiration.

We were talking about having our own free-range flock when we finally move out of the city, maybe four years from now. Naturally, we are wondering if there is anyone in our circle who could provide low-cost professional consultation.

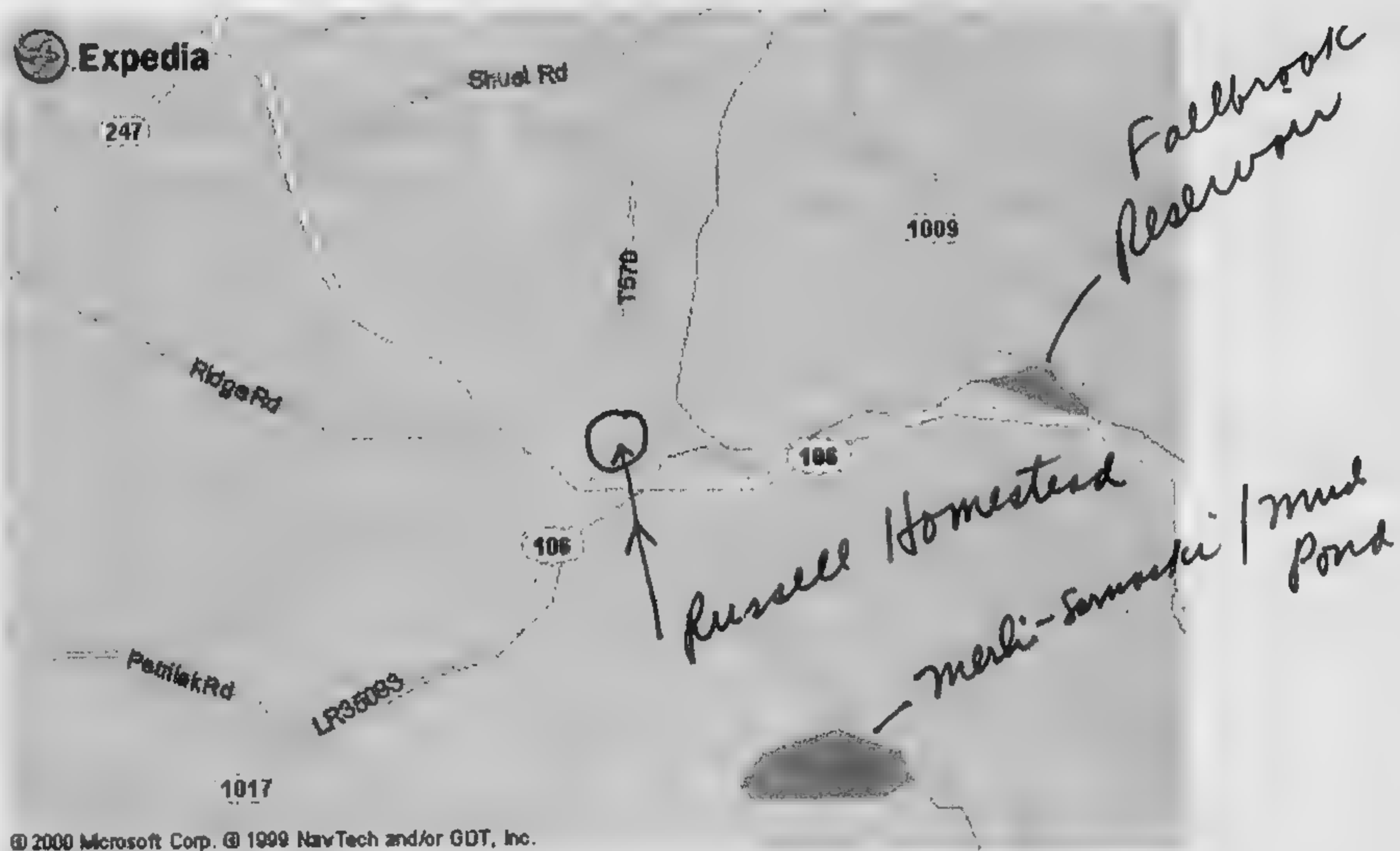
Hope your nephew, brother and golf course, and the homestead in general, are all well. And the flock, too.

Yours,

WBW

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Hello.

I'm glad to see you and your chickens are still alive and well (I see your Web page has been updated today).

Nothing has really changed here at Harcourt Learning Direct. Some more people quit, and others consequently had their work stations moved from one cube to another, but it's pretty much the same old.

Well, let's get right down to the nitty-gritty of Web page design. I notice your "bookmarks" have vanished from the titles of your page's major sections, so now the hyperlink index won't work. Also, the "title" of the page in the source code is "July 10, 1998," which may be confusing to your readers, since that's what shows up at the very top left of the screen.

I seem to remember offering to tweak up the source code on a semi-regular basis and didn't I even go so far as to acquire your Crosswinds password and set up a schedule so I wouldn't be in there while you were adding content? I also remember trying to arrange a time to meet you at a computer somewhere. Those offers still stand, but I must have deleted all records of those plans when I was emptying out my Sent folder. All I have relevant to your Web site is a note from you in my in-box from April!

Anyway, I think I could make your District News site a more user-friendly place with the possible added benefit of making it a little easier for you to update the file(s).

A lot of stuff I can do without ever meeting you, and you can just look at the samples and decide and tell me what you do and don't like. I'll try to redesign a copy of your page this weekend and upload it to my Crosswinds account so you can see some of the changes I'm talking about.

But we still really should arrange to meet with an hour or two agenda about enhancing the site. For example, would you like to provide an index of archived District News postings from previous months? How about a search engine for the site? And what about that toll-free number (u-reach.com) that will e-mail voice messages to your e-mail address? And what about your e-mail address? Is Juno working OK? I just get the feeling that Yahoo is the one Internet-based free e-mail address to use. I'm thinking of switching myself from usa.net. And then there's pictures. You did say you wanted to get some pictures on there, didn't you?



Oh, well. I guess I'll talk/write to you later. Bye for now.

P.S.: Can't you guys breed a chicken that hunts and eats foxes? Maybe cross a hen with some kind of raptor. (I bet you can make some real money with a bird like that.)

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September 1, 4:30 P.M.

Paul:

I have just spent much of the afternoon at the library doing next month's chicken newsletter.

I've been waiting for a reply to a chicken question from a poultry fancier in upstate New York and thought it best to check my e-mail once more before leaving the building. What a nice surprise to see your message.

Yes, please, anything you can do to make the District 2 webpage more user-friendly/high-tech/logical/coherent would be much appreciated. My Crosswinds account name is srobertpowell and my password is EAGardne

I'll be in touch after Labor Day.

Robert

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 From: [Carter, Janice G <JCarter@fssa.state.in.us>](#) [Add to Address Book](#) [Show brief headers](#) | [Show all headers](#)

Subject: RE: columbus ????

Date: September 22, 2000 7:42:03 AM EDT

To: 's robert powell' <srobertpowell@juno.com> [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

if you go..i will go..janice

&gt; -----

&gt; From: s robert powell[SMTP:srobertpowell@juno.com]

&gt; Sent: Thursday, September 21, 2000 4:11 PM

&gt; To: Carter, Janice G

&gt; Subject: RE: columbus ????

&gt;

&gt; Columbus show is November 11-12.

&gt;

&gt; Have a good time in Texas.

&gt;

&gt; More later.

&gt;

&gt; Robert

&gt;

&gt; -----Original Message-----

&gt; From: "Carter, Janice G" &lt;JCarter@fssa.state.in.us&gt;

&gt; To: "'srobertpowell@juno.com'" &lt;srobertpowell@juno.com&gt;

&gt; Sent: September 21, 2000 12:36:15 PM GMT

&gt; Subject: columbus ????

&gt;

&gt;

&gt; good morning robert.. am just about to buy tickets to austin texas to

&gt; visit

&gt; our good friends who just moved there.. nov 17-20. Is that the columbus

&gt; poultry show? if so, we can change austin plans.. please reply asap if you

&gt; receive this message stoday..must purchase tickets by midnight tonight..or

&gt; you could call me at 812 33427967 and leave a message..love janice

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SCRANTON, PA THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 2000

**Mildred Fenwick**

September 27, 2000

Mildred Fenwick, 85, Waymart, died Wednesday morning at home after a lengthy illness. She was the widow of Earl Fenwick, who died on June 18, 1991.

Born in Ararat Township, daughter of the late William and Anna Thomas Archer, she had resided in Waymart most of her life. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Waymart, and its Ladies Society, the Waymart Senior Citizens Group, the Waymart Civic Club and the P.T.A.

A devoted mother and grandmother, she enjoyed her family and quilting with her friends.

Surviving are three sons, Douglas, Richland; Dale, Waymart and Daniel, Mount Joy; two daughters, Barbara Holmes, Waymart, and Benjie LaBar, Cresco; a sister, Jane Carpenter, Crescent City, Fla.; nine grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; nieces, nephews and cousins.

She was also preceded in death by a brother, Theo Archer.

The funeral will be Saturday at 2 p.m. from the Jenkins Funeral Home, 269 Belmont St., Waymart, with services by the Rev. Leo Mancini, pastor of the First Baptist Church. Interment, Canaan Corners Cemetery.

Friends may call Friday, 7 to 9 p.m. Memorial contributions may be made to the First Baptist Church, 342 Honesdale Road, Waymart, 18472, or to the Waymart Area Historical Society, Box 255, Waymart.

*Mother of Barbara  
Holmes, the  
president of the  
Waymart Area  
Historical Society*



SCRANTON, PA THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 2000



# Lillian Washeleski

September 27, 2000

Lillian Washeleski, formerly of 19 Reservoir St., Simpson, died Wednesday at the Forest City Nursing Center, where she was a guest. Her husband, Walter "Lodge" Washeleski, died on March 13, 1999.

Born in Witt, Ill., daughter of the late Peter and Margaret Long Anders, she was a member of St. Rose of Lima Church, Carbondale, and of its former altar and rosary society. She was a graduate of Fell Township High School, Simpson, and of Marywood College, having received bachelors and masters degrees in counseling. She also did graduate work at New York University, Susquehanna University, Penn State University and Shippensburg University. She was retired from the Fell Township School District, having served as guidance counselor, and retiring as an elementary school principal. She was also a former member of the Pennsylvania State Educators Association, the Carbondale Women's Club and the Fell Township Golden Age Club.

Surviving are a sister, May Walsh, New Jersey; several nieces and nephews.

She was also preceded in death by a brother, William Anders.

The funeral will be Saturday from the Brennan and Brennan Funeral Home, Inc., 55 Lincoln Ave., Carbondale, with Mass at 9:30 a.m. in St. Rose of Lima Church. Interment, Our Mother of Sorrows Cemetery, Finch Hill.

Friends may call Friday, 7 to 9 p.m.

I attended the "viewing" on Friday.

Mrs. Washeleski was one of my teachers in High School. She was the first non-family member to be an SRP Cheerleader, so to speak. She encouraged me to pursue with great vigor my academic career. Because of her "push," I went to college — and that changed the direction of my life.

**CAST**

(in order of appearance)

PHILLIP.....Tony Waldren\*  
CHAZ LOONEY.....Nathan Harris  
BRENT REYNOLDS.....Stephen Martino  
CANDY APPLES.....Sarah Gedrich  
SOL WEISENHEIMER.....Mark Howard\*  
DICK SHALIT.....Jeff Ginsburg  
VICTOR LE PEWE.....Dr. Peter Pettinato  
MONA MONET.....Judith Martino  
CONSTANCE CRAWFORD.....Mary Brinkman  
ALABAMA MILLER.....Robert DeLuca

Time: Present

Place: Somewhere in New York

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Carter, Janice G <[JCarter@fssa.state.in.us](mailto:JCarter@fssa.state.in.us)> [Add to Address Book](#)

Subject:

greetings form bloomington

Date:

October 6, 2000 2:30:59 PM EDT

To:

'[srobertpowell@juno.com](mailto:srobertpowell@juno.com)' <[srobertpowell@juno.com](mailto:srobertpowell@juno.com)> [Add to Address Book](#)

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dear robert... october already and the leaves are beginning to turn.. the campus is beautiful... sure wish you would come for a visit!!!! are you go9ng to columbus??????? i hope so..lease let me knoww if you are so i can make plans to see you there.. no news here.. am busy dealing with my mother and my boys' senior year... love janice



October 11, 2000

## THE SIX CENTURY OLD CHURCHES OF CARBONDALE

The program tonight is presented by the Cultural Committee of the Carbondale Public Library.

Martin Langan, President of the Library Board, is host for the evening.

### Church Spokespersons are:

Robert Vandenberg . . . United Methodist Church

→ Robert Powell . . . Berean Baptist Church

Eleanor Spellman . . . St. Rose Of Lima Church

Louise Anderson . . . First Presbyterian Church

Father Stephen Matylewicz . . . Trinity Episcopal Church

Joseph Grandinetti . . . Our Lady Of Mount Carmel Church

Musical selections by: Joan Palmer, Flutist  
Dawn Pentecost, Accompanist

Refreshments will be served following the program.

The public is invited to visit the second floor of the Library to view the six original watercolors of the churches done by the artist, Italo A Zonta T. The paintings are on loan to the Library from the Historical Society.

If the program tonight proves successful, a future program on the Churches of Simpson, Jermyn, Mayfield and Greenfield, will be considered.

# **A Brief History of the Six 'Century-Old' Churches of Carbondale**

✓ St. Rose of Lima

✓ Trinity Episcopal

✓ Berean Baptist

✓ First Presbyterian

✓ Our Lady of Mount Carmel

✓ First United Methodist

A spokesperson from each of these historical churches will present a brief history and discuss the architecture of their respective church buildings. This program is being sponsored by the Cultural Committee of the Carbondale Public Library. Photos and historical items will be on display. Light refreshments will be served after the program.

**WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 11, 2000**

**7:00 P.M.**

**In the Community Room**

**CARBONDALE PUBLIC LIBRARY  
5 NORTH MAIN STREET**

(the community room is accessible by our elevator)

**This program is open to the public at no charge**

## SEVEN BUILDINGS, TWENTY-EIGHT PASTORS

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In its 150-year history, the Berean Baptist Church of Carbondale has been housed in seven different buildings. Those buildings, which were identified and described by Donald W. Powell in his 1979 history of the Berean Baptist Church, are:

1. The Deacon Bowen house on the west side of South Main Street.
2. The school-house opposite the First Baptist Church on South Church Street.
3. Temperance Hall on the corner of Salem Avenue and North Church Street.
4. The former Methodist meeting-house, bought in 1850 and moved to the Berean Baptist lot on North Church Street, and there remodeled and repaired.
5. The Doric wooden building built by the Berean Baptists on their lot on North Church Street, and dedicated November 29, 1859.
6. The Romanesque stone building built by the Berean Baptists on the northwest corner of North Church Street and Lincoln Avenue, and dedicated April 1, 1889.
7. The re-built Romanesque stone building built by the Berean Baptists on the northwest corner of North Church Street and Lincoln Avenue, and dedicated September 13, 1970.

The Berean Baptist Church has been served by 28 pastors during its 150-year history. They are:

- |                        |                                   |                           |
|------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1. Daniel E. Bowen     | 11. C. Wilson Smith               | 21. Harold Franklin Damon |
| 2. Henry Curtis        | 12. John Howard Groff             | 22. C. Gordon Stone       |
| 3. Charles Griffin     | 13. Parley D. Root                | 23. Howard R. Stewart     |
| 4. Frederick Glanville | 14. Thomas E. Jepson              | 24. Edward P. Brinkman    |
| 5. Edward L. Bailey    | 15. Henry J. Whalen, D. D.        | 25. Arthur W. Meneely     |
| 6. J. B. Tombes        | 16. Percival Hylton Lynch         | 26. Claude A. Pullis      |
| 7. Edward L. Bailey    | 17. Warren L. Steeves             | 27. Gordon S. Wilson      |
| 8. J. J. Owen          | 18. Frank A. Stanton              | 28. Dale E. Pepper        |
| 9. John Emery Gault    | 19. Charles A. Fulton, D. D.      |                           |
| 10. William B. Grow    | 20. George Robert Ellin, S. T. B. |                           |



## Members of the Berean Baptist Church for 50 Years or More

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Mrs. A. P. Trautwein.....	1873
Mrs. Gertie Nicholson.....	1883
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Mrs. Arthur Lewsley.....	1891
Mrs. Sarah Henry.....	1891
Mr. Daniel Jones.....	1891
Mrs. Mary Pethick.....	1891
Mrs. Florence Mitchell.....	1891
Mrs. Elizabeth Drum.....	1891
Mr. Thomas Davis.....	1891
Mrs. Charles Moon.....	1892
Mr. Milo Gardner.....	1892
Mrs. Alice Hobart.....	1894
Mrs. Henry Cornell.....	1894
Mrs. John Cornish.....	1894
Mr. Albert Estabrook.....	1895
Mr. Eugene Baker.....	1895
Mrs. Eugene Baker.....	1895
Mrs. Margaret Hauenstein.....	1895
Mrs. Rufus Miller.....	1897
Mrs. Charles Swann.....	1897
Mrs. Alice Mennig.....	1897
Mrs. Maude Robinson.....	1897
Mrs. W. M. Howells.....	1898

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## Members of the Berean Baptist Church for 50 years or More

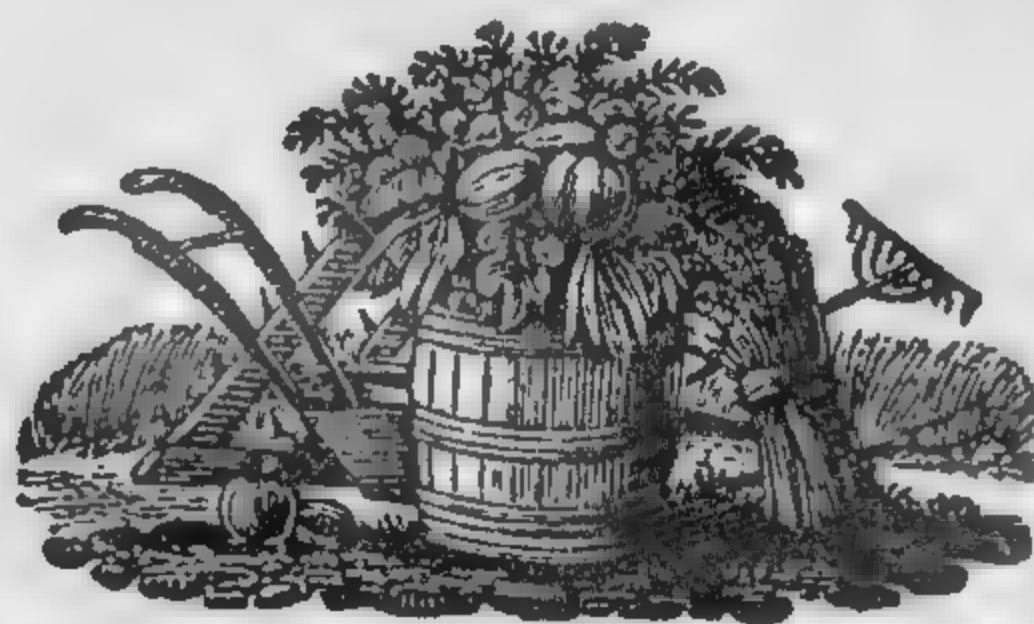
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Garfield Thomas	11-29-1915
Marjorie Seigle	11-29-1915
Lois Marr	04-04-1920
Althea Neutts	03-27-1921
Catherine Pierson	04-12-1925
Harold Pierson	04-12-1925
Evelyn Kennedy	04-04-1926
John Moon	04-04-1926
Eleanor Williams	04-17-1927
Ruth Chapman	04-17-1927
Barbara Swingle	04-06-1930
Grace Moon	04-20-1930
Millie Emmett	03-17-1932
Helen Powell ←	04-17-1932
Myrtle Oakley	04-16-1935
Eleanor Rude	04-28-1935
Francis Tonkin	10-23-1938
Blanche Heller	10-23-1938
Mildred Chubb	04-07-1940
Marjorie Williams	04-13-1941
Lucille Smedley	06-15-1941
Lewis Witts	05-10-1942
Nan Seigle Doyle	04-25-1943
Ruth Emmons	04-25-1943
Donald Thomas	04-25-1943
Margaret Carey-Garcia	04-25-1943
Carolyn Miller Thomas	04-09-1944
Doris Witts Williams	04-09-1944
June Coles Booths	10-12-1946
Evelyn Toms	11-30-1947
Mary Howarth	11-30-1947
Robert Walker	03-24-1940
Robert Taylor	03-28-1948
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Merle Morgan	06-13-1948

(Page 22 of S. Robert Powell's *Sesquicentennial  
History of the Berean Baptist Church of Carbondale,  
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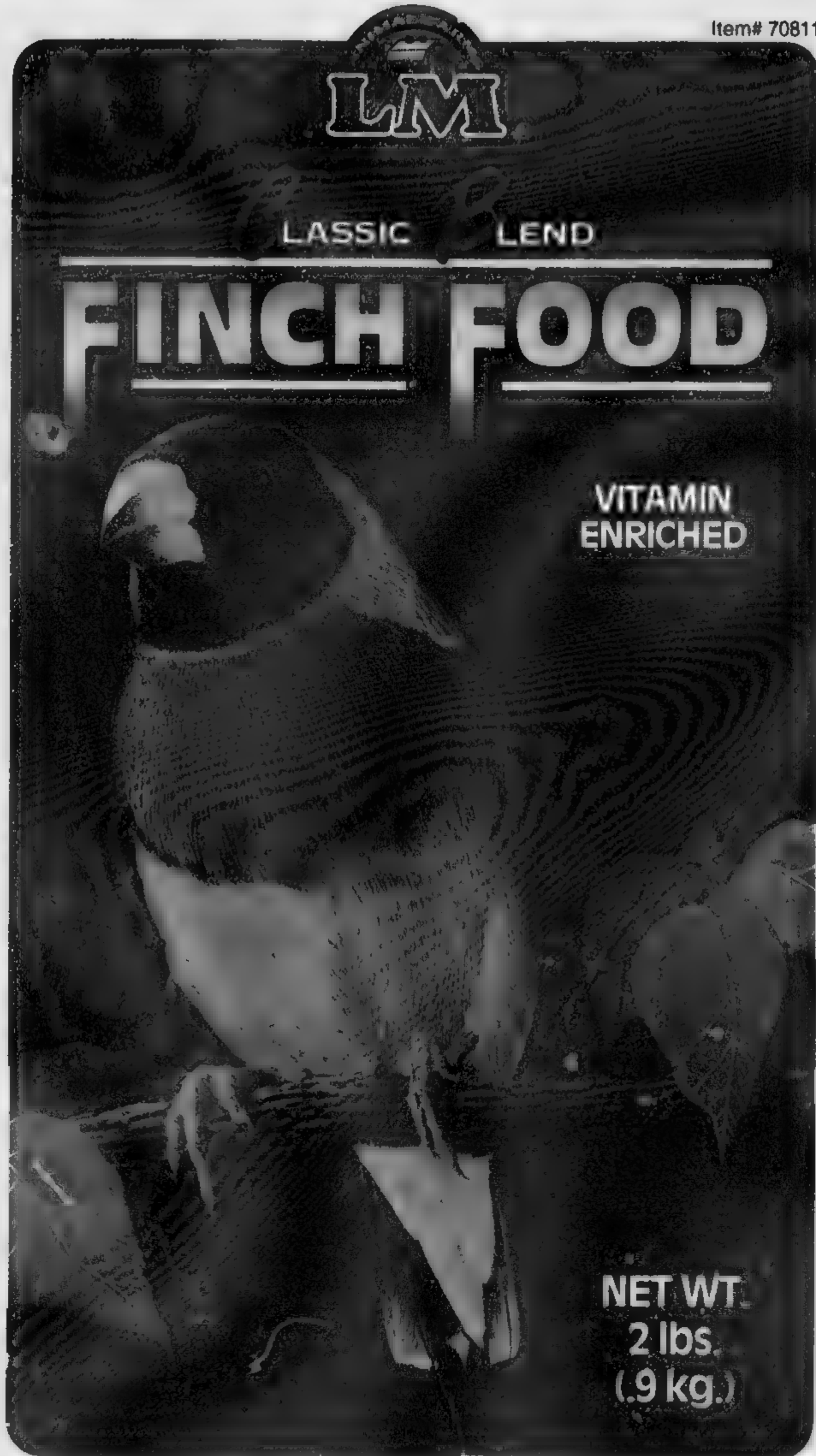
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*a very nice event; went  
with Joe Pascoe*

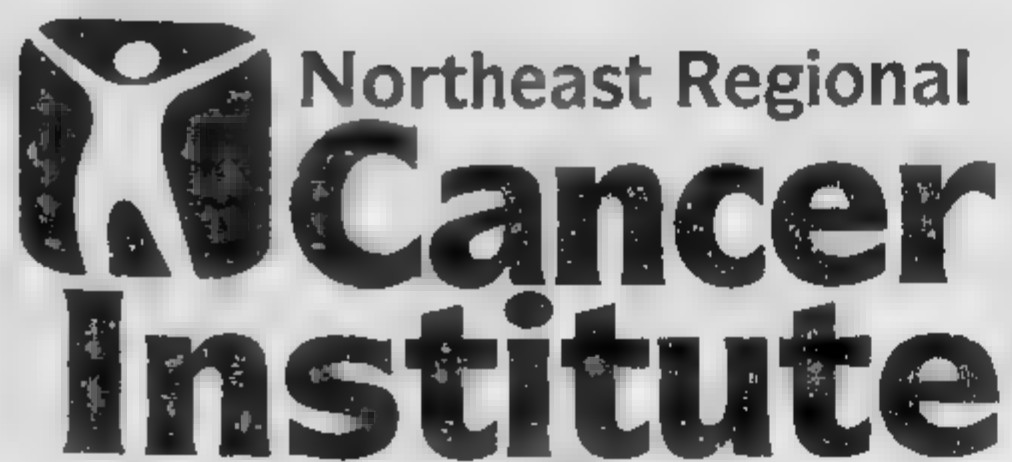


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*Such a beautiful bag for finch seed!*



10/5/00 — made a recipe / batch of  
Martha Stewart's "Whole-Grain-  
Buttermilk-Cumin" Crackers." —  
from p. 234 of MSL, (month/year?).  
Very good — but most unusual —  
the whole house smelled like  
an Indian restaurant as the  
crackers baked. The cumin is  
wonderful. I subtitled the  
crackers "Bombay Crackers."  
Would I make them again? Yes,  
as I love crackers and I  
love cumin.



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October 6, 2000

Robert Powell  
RD 1 Box 40  
Carbondale, PA 18407

Dear Robert Powell:

Recently, you participated in a Prostate Cancer Screening. This letter is to advise you that the laboratory reported that your prostatic specific antigen (PSA) level is 1.50, which is within the usual normal range of 0.0 to 4.0. As you were notified at the screening, the physician reported your digital rectal examination to be normal.

Please be advised that although the procedures you participated in are considered highly effective for the detection of prostate cancer, no screening can be guaranteed to be 100 percent effective. Therefore, it is important for you to see your family physician for a complete health check-up on a regular basis and be sure to bring any new signs or symptoms to his/her attention. The family doctor you identified at the screening has been sent your screening results.

Thank you for participating in this screening program.

Sincerely,

Karen Ryczak, RN  
NRCI Screening Coordinator

Blood pressure  
118 / 64 } SRP  
(120/80) - normal

Cholesterol  
224



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# HARCOURT GENERAL

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## Retirement Savings Statement

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Time to review your asset allocation. A diversified portfolio with a mix of stocks, bonds and short-term investments can help reduce investment risk and increase your potential return over time.

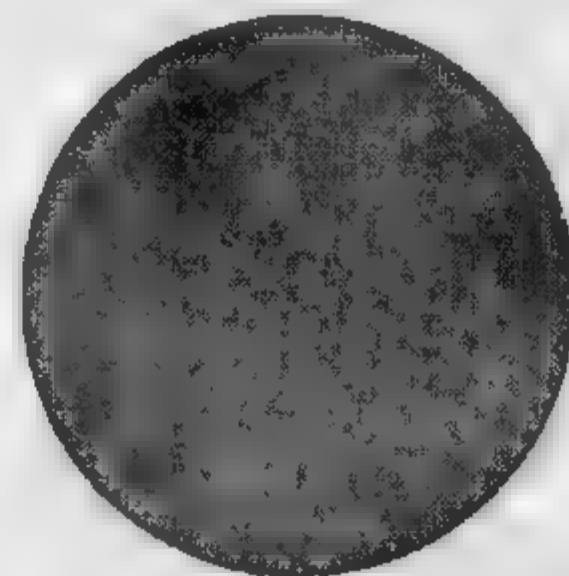
### Your Account Summary

Beginning Balance	\$25,350.04
Change in Account Value	-23.80
Ending Balance	\$25,326.24

#### Additional Information

◆ Vested Balance	\$25,326.24
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### Your Asset Allocation



■ Stocks 100%

Your investments are currently allocated among the displayed asset classes. Percentages and totals may not be exact due to rounding.

### Market Value of Your Account

This section displays the value of your account for the period, in both shares and dollars

Investment	Shares on 03/30/2000	Shares on 09/30/2000	Price on 06/30/2000	Price on 09/30/2000	Market Value on 06/30/2000	Market Value on 09/30/2000
<b>Stock Investments</b>					<b>\$25,350.04</b>	<b>\$25,326.24</b>
Fidelity Contrafund	168.800	168.800	\$57.74	\$58.39	9,746.51	9,856.23
Fidelity Growth Co	79.717	79.717	\$90.89	\$93.35	7,245.48	7,441.58
Templeton Foreign A	784.793	784.793	\$10.65	\$10.23	8,358.05	8,028.43
<b>Account Total</b>					<b>\$25,350.04</b>	<b>\$25,326.24</b>

Remember that a dividend payment to fund shareholders reduces the share price of the fund, so a decrease in the share price for the statement period does not necessarily reflect lower fund performance.

Please read this statement carefully. Any error must be reported to Fidelity Investments within 90 days.

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**From:** Paul Warner <mr.warner@usa.net> [Add to Address Book](#) [Show brief headers](#) | [Show all headers](#)

**Subject:** Bloomsburg or Bust

**Date:** October 7, 2000 1:14:05 PM EDT

**To:** s robert powell <srobertpowell@juno.com> [Add to Address Book](#)

**CC:**

Hello.

I would like to help out at the auction Saturday (10/14). I much rather volunteer for fairs and shows than attend as a spectator. Please call to coordinate: 570-346-0951 or 570-342-2201x282.

Let me know what kind of work I can do, and where I should meet you. (Things might work out best if I drove down myself, so we may want to rendezvous in Bloomsburg.)

By the way, I tried calling with your number from the APA Web site (282-5197), but I got a golf course. Is that number correct?

Bye, now.

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From: s robert powell <srobertpowell@juno.com> [Add to Address Book](#) [Show brief headers](#) | [Show all headers](#)

Subject: Chickens

Date: October 10, 2000 11:01:19 AM EDT

To: Paul Warner <mr.warner@usa.net> [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

Tuesday, 10-10-00, 11:00 A.M.

Paul:

Excellent.

Yes, I think a rendezvous at Bloomsburg is a good idea.

I will be in the poultry building on the Bloomsburg Fairgrounds all day on Saturday the 14th. I plan to arrive there before 9 A.M. There should be lots of activity going on.

There will be many hundreds (perhaps thousands) of birds for sale. As the APA District 2 director, I will set up a table and sell my wares for the APA. I am also going to be involved in the food stand to a certain extent. (My plan at present is to roast a turkey and to make turkey sandwiches there for the hungry mob.)

So, there are several areas where your help would be much appreciated. I'll also get my computer questions lined up.

The phone number on the APA website is correct. The family homestead is also an 18-hole golf course (Homestead Golf Course). The golf course (which was created about 30 years ago by my parents) is now owned and operated by my brother Donald. My chickens and cows and I also live there.

See you Saturday.

SRP



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**From:** s robert powell <srobertpowell@juno.com> [Add to Address Book](#) [Show brief headers](#) | [Show all headers](#)

**Subject:** Under the Lights

**Date:** October 10, 2000 11:20:16 AM EDT

**To:** DWP28@aol.com [Add to Address Book](#)

**CC:**

Tuesday morning, 10/10/00

Donald:

Well, tonight is the big game under the lights. I'm sure that when your opponents see the size of the members of your team that they will wish they hadn't showed up for the game. Be kind. Try not to hospitalize too many of them!

It's been pretty quiet since you left on Sunday--just the sound of purring cats and the sound of the leaf blower (your father and "the crew" cleaned up leaves and branches and stuff in front of the house for most of the day yesterday and the front yard now looks very nice--as it always does). At one point this morning, the ground was "almost white"--and it's cold.

Lots of running around for me. Yesterday I did some more cleaning at the Historical Society. Last night, I went to a meeting of the directors of the Harford Fair. Today (this afternoon) I have to attend a meeting in Waymart about the proposed federal penitentiary that the Bureau of Prisons is planning to build there. Several historical societies and many community groups are trying to stop them from building the prison because it will very negatively impact the quality of life in the community if it is built. Tomorrow night, I have to do a presentation at the Carbondale Library on the Baptist Church in Carbondale. And then, this coming weekend is the auction/poultry show in Bloomsburg.

Your father and I will be anxious to hear how the game under the lights went.

Uncle Robert

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From: [Dwp28@aol.com](mailto:Dwp28@aol.com) [Add to Address Book](#)

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Subject: Re: Under the Lights

Date: October 13, 2000 11:57:36 PM EDT

To: [srobertpowell@juno.com](mailto:srobertpowell@juno.com) [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

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Well i told you how did at my game and my knee has gotten so much better thanks to some r&r. Today and tomorrow i am cleaning my basement after we remove the cats. Finally they were a pain! i had a few good hits st the game now that i think about it

*An e-mail from OWP II!*

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From: s robert powell <srobertpowell@juno.com> [Add to Address Book](#) [Show brief headers](#) | [Show all headers](#)

Subject: Game of the Week

Date: October 16, 2000 4:28:40 PM EDT

To: Dwp28@aol.com [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

Monday afternoon

Donald:

Got your message.

When is the next game? There must be at least one game a week for the next several weeks. Remind me to tell you about the time when I was playing quarterback for the Carbondale team. It was the fourth quarter, and the score was tied. It was a desperate move, but I decided to . . .

What are you playing in your music class? Do you have a fall concert? a winter concert? How many other trombone players are there? Is there a junior-high band and a senior-high band? I recently decided that I would take piano lessons. I have the name and address of a piano teacher who lives in Lake Ariel and I hope to start lessons this winter.

The next time that you're here, bring along your French book.

I'm going to be out of town for many weekends in the next month or so, but hopefully I'll be here when you're next here. This coming Friday, for example, I'm going to go to Canada to attend the Board of Directors meeting of the American Poultry Association.

The leaves are falling fast. They're pretty, but they're a lot of work for your father and the guys to clean up.

The Bloomsburg poultry show was this past weekend and I was out of town on Sunday when a load of hay arrived. Dan Shust helped the hay guy unload the hay in the hayshed across the creek. I'm hoping that Dan will be able to help unload hay a couple of more times this fall.

Pussy and Gray Cat have been busy catching moles and mice. And then the other day there was a chipmunk on the back porch--a present for your father and me from the cats.

A few days ago, when I was changing my shoes on the back porch, I put my foot into my right shoe and my foot ran into something in the shoe. It turned out to be a live mouse--which had apparently taken shelter from two prowling cats by hiding in my shoe.

So, you're cleaning your basement. I don't think I knew that you had cats there.

See ya soon.

Uncle Robert



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Subject: greetings

Salutations,

Sorry we missed each other at lunch the other week. Folks have been asking about you--wondering if you've run off to tend chickens in Moscow.

Speaking of chickens, when is your Today show appearance supposed to be? I'll want to tape it. I'm looking forward to my "six degrees of separation" reaching Katie Couric and Regis Philbin (I know, different networks--but I'm sure they know each other).

Hope all is well. Say hello to your brother and nephew.

Beth

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Subject: RE: greetings

Date: October 16, 2000 3:51:40 PM EDT

To: ethompson@harcourtbrace.com [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

Monday

Elizabeth:

Thanks for your message. All is very well here.

This is the busiest time of the year for me. The 10-week period that ends in mid-November is especially crazy.

This coming weekend, for example, I will travel to Canada for the annual meeting of the directors of the American Poultry Association ([www.ampltya.com](http://www.ampltya.com)).

Then on Tuesday next, about ten of my chickens and I will go to New York City in the afternoon. That night, I will have dinner with some NBC people and the author of a new poultry book that is being published by Harry Abrams. Wednesday morning (October 25th), the chickens and I and the author of the new poultry book (a high velocity Brit named Steven Armytage-Green, whose work has been published in lots of national magazines) will be on the Today Show.

Then on Friday next, I leave for Boston to judge a poultry show there on Saturday and Sunday. The weekend of November 4-5, I judge the Maryland State show; the weekend of November 18-19, it's Richmond, Virginia.

Who would ever believe that someone could be so completely crazy as to immerse himself in all this chicken stuff? But, I love it and I'm having a wonderful time.

One day soon I hope to get into ICS for lunch. Please convey my greetings to the 10 AM-break group.

Robert

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Subject: Pitched battles

Date: October 16, 2000 3:23:13 PM EDT

To: [DeFina <riverthyme@ezaccess.net>](#) [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

Monday

Hello Grace:

I was very tired at the meeting on Tuesday. I guess I'm not very good at pretending not to be tired when I am very tired. Congratulations to you and Joe on an excellent meeting on Tuesday.

That's good news about the projected arrival of Tracy Huling.

I love the idea of a State Assembly hearing. That would be the perfect delaying tactic that would cause every hair on Dorworth's head to turn snowy white!

I was quiet at Tuesday's meeting for two reasons: (1) The focus of the meeting was on the five out-of-town guests--all of whom were very interesting and informative, and (2) I was under the impression that all of us at the table would, in turn, be given our two or three minutes to speak. When my turn came, I had a lot to say. Then it was 4:30 and the meeting ended.

On several occasions (as/after the others spoke) I had lots of things that I wanted to say.

Robert

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Subject: RE: Fw: Fwd:Symposium help

Date: October 16, 2000 2:31:37 PM EDT

To: [Jane Varcoe <janev@socantel.net>](mailto:janev@socantel.net) [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

Monday

Jane:

If you're planning to go to the D&H meeting on the 18th, perhaps we should ride over together?

Robert

-----Original Message-----

From: "Jane Varcoe" <[janev@socantel.net](mailto:janev@socantel.net)>

To: Robert Powell <[srobertpowell@juno.com](mailto:srobertpowell@juno.com)>

Sent: October 16, 2000 6:34:24 AM GMT

Subject: Fw: Fwd:Symposium help

> From: Sandra Schultz <[Sandra\\_Schultz@nps.gov](mailto:Sandra_Schultz@nps.gov)>

> To: [janev@socantel.net](mailto:janev@socantel.net)

> Subject: Fwd:Symposium help

> Date: Friday, October 06, 2000 8:56 AM

>

> Jane FYI. How have you been? Will we see you on the 18th? Sandy

>

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> Subject: Symposium help

> Author: Sandra Schultz

> Date: 10/5/00 11:47 AM

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> Check out [pahumanities.org](http://pahumanities.org) they may be able to do more than supply Lance as a

> speaker> This probably goes for the D&H symposium too. Sandy



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# **CARBONDALE HISTORICAL SOCIETY and MUSEUM, INC.**

Post Office Box 151, Carbondale, PA 18407

Phone: 570-282-0385

Working on behalf of Carbondale's Past, Present, and Future

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October 19, 2000

Lackawanna County Commissioners

Mr. Joseph Corcoran

Mr. Randy Castellani

Mr. Robert Cordaro

RE: Request for allocation of \$10,000 in 2001 Lackawanna County budget to make it possible for the Carbondale Historical Society to continue to serve the community and surrounding area

Gentlemen:

The citizens and residents of Lackawanna County are fortunate in that they have not only the Lackawanna Historical Society but also the Carbondale Historical Society and Museum to serve as the guardians of the County's rich history, heritage, and traditions.

The Carbondale Historical Society and Museum was founded at the time of America's bicentennial celebrations in 1976. Over the quarter century that the Society has been in existence, it has served the public by relying solely on a core group of dedicated volunteers. This reliance on volunteers was necessary because the Society's limited financial resources—primarily membership dues and modest donations from the public—made it impossible to hire part-time or full-time personnel.

As the County's second historical society, the Carbondale Historical Society was not eligible to receive financial support from the County. The Society's eligibility status changed, we were very pleased to learn in the final months of 1999, when Governor Tom Ridge signed into law, on November 3, 1999, a bill that permits county commissioners in the Commonwealth to appropriate funds to all historical societies in counties that have more than one historical society—such as Lackawanna County.

The Carbondale Historical Society and Museum is an organized and permanent institution that was incorporated on March 15, 1983 (copy of incorporation certificate attached) and recognized by the Internal Revenue Service as exempt from Federal income tax under Section 501 c (3) of the Internal Revenue Code on July 2, 1984 (copy of IRS letter attached).

The Society is an educational and historical organization whose mission is to record, gather, and preserve the history of the city of Carbondale and the surrounding area. Through its genealogical and local history research center on the third floor of Carbondale City Hall (listed in the National Register of Historic Places on January 6, 1983, through the efforts of the Society) and through an annual series of public lectures, programs, exhibitions, and commemorative ceremonies, in the community and in the public schools, the Society, at the same time, interprets and makes accessible to the public the City's rich, diverse, and unique history and heritage. The Society is committed to the central values of (1) maintaining the highest possible standards in all its endeavors, (2) providing excellent service to the public at all times, and (3) demonstrating leadership and innovation in the field of local history.

In 2000, the Society engaged Mrs. Frances Komorowsky (a former Green Thumb Program participant who was assigned to the Society) as a part-time staff member. Hers is the only salaried position in the organization at present. Mrs. Komorowsky's exemplary administrative talents, museum experience, and knowledge have made it possible for the Society to be open to the public year round. Assisting Mrs. Komorowsky in the effective and successful management of the Society on a day-to-day basis are the Society's officers, directors, and a core group of devoted and dedicated volunteers.

The Society is housed in Carbondale City Hall and enjoys a very positive and mutually beneficial relationship with the city government. Together, the Society's staff, officers, board of directors, and volunteers have made the Society one of the most highly respected and visible civic and community organizations in Carbondale.

County Commissioners

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October 19, 2000

As we have said, the Carbondale Historical Society has very limited financial resources. Annual membership fees and donations only make it possible for the Society to maintain a modest office. In the nine-month period that the Society has paid Mrs. Komorowsky a modest weekly stipend, we have very nearly exhausted all of our savings. To continue to keep our doors open to the public, to employ Mrs. Komorowsky on a part-time basis, and to expand our program of services to the community to 40-hours a week, the Carbondale Historical Society needs \$10,000 in funding per annum from an outside source.

This, then, is a request to you, the County Commissioners, to help us to continue to serve as a guardian organization for the County's rich history, heritage, and traditions by allocating \$10,000 to the Carbondale Historical Society and Museum in the 2001 Lackawanna County Budget.

If we can provide you with any additional information in support of this budget request, we shall be pleased to do so.

Sincerely yours,

S. Robert Powell  
President

*If this letter accomplishes  
its objective, the  
Carbondale Historical  
Society's future will  
be secure. We should  
know the answer  
before too long.*



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Internal Revenue Service  
District Director

Department of the Treasury

Date: JUL 2 1984

Employer Identification Number:

23-2273752  
Accounting Period Ending:

December 31  
Form 990 Required: ☒ Yes ☐ No

► Carbondale Historical Society  
And Museum, Inc.  
Post Office Box 151  
Carbondale, Pa. 18407

Person to Contact:  
K. Smith  
Contact Telephone Number:  
(215) 597-4168

Dear Applicant:

Based on information supplied, and assuming your operations will be as stated in your application for recognition of exemption, we have determined you are exempt from Federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

We have further determined that you are not a private foundation within the meaning of section 509(a) of the Code, because you are an organization described in section 509(a)(1) & 170(b)(1)(A)(vi).

If your sources of support, or your purposes, character, or method of operation change, please let us know so we can consider the effect of the change on your exempt status and foundation status. Also, you should inform us of all changes in your name or address.

Generally, you are not liable for social security (FICA) taxes unless you file a waiver of exemption certificate as provided in the Federal Insurance Contributions Act. If you have paid FICA taxes without filing the waiver, you should contact us. You are not liable for the tax imposed under the Federal Unemployment Tax Act (FUTA).

Since you are not a private foundation, you are not subject to the excise taxes under Chapter 42 of the Code. However, you are not automatically exempt from other Federal excise taxes. If you have any questions about excise, employment, or other Federal taxes, please let us know.

Donors may deduct contributions to you as provided in section 170 of the Code. Bequests, legacies, devises, transfers, or gifts to you or for your use are deductible for Federal estate and gift tax purposes if they meet the applicable provisions of sections 2055, 2106, and 2522 of the Code.

The box checked in the heading of this letter shows whether you must file Form 990, Return of Organization Exempt from Income tax. If Yes is checked, you are required to file Form 990 only if your gross receipts each year are normally more than \$10,000\*. If a return is required, it must be filed by the 15th day of the fifth month after the end of your annual accounting period. The law imposes a penalty of \$10 a day, up to a maximum of \$5,000, when a return is filed late, unless there is reasonable cause for the delay.

P. O. Box 260, Newark, NJ 07101

(over)

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You are not required to file Federal income tax returns unless you are subject to the tax on unrelated business income under section 511 of the Code. If you are subject to this tax, you must file an income tax return on Form 990-T. In this letter, we are not determining whether any of your present or proposed activities are unrelated trade or business as defined in section 513 of the Code.

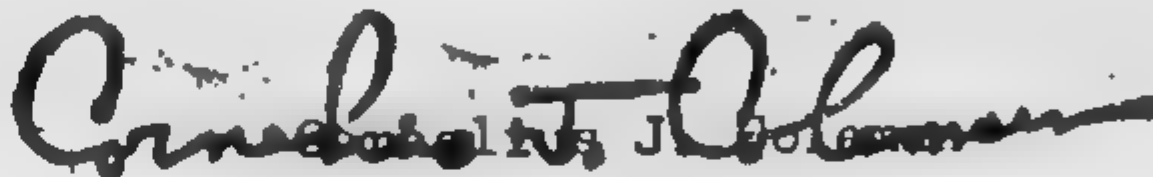
You need an employer identification number even if you have no employees.

If an employer identification number was not entered on your application, a number will be assigned to you and you will be advised of it. Please use that number on all returns you file and in all correspondence with the Internal Revenue Service.

Because this letter could help resolve any questions about your exempt status and foundation status, you should keep it in your permanent records.

If you have any questions, please contact the person whose name and telephone number are shown in the heading of this letter.

Sincerely yours,

  
District Director

For tax years ending on and after December 31, 1982, organizations whose gross receipts are not normally more than \$25,000 are excused from filing Form 990. For guidance in determining if your gross receipts are normally not more than the \$25,000 limit, see the instructions for the Form 990.

Beginning January 1, 1984, unless specifically excepted, you must pay taxes under the Federal Insurance Contributions Act (social security taxes) for each employee who is paid \$100 or more in a calendar year.



# State of DELAWARE

## Office of SECRETARY OF STATE

I, Glenn C. Kenton, Secretary of State of the State of Delaware,  
do hereby certify that the attached is a true and correct copy of  
Certificate of Incorporation  
filed in this office on March 15, 1983



Glenn C. Kenton  
Glenn C. Kenton, Secretary of State

RECEIVED FOR RECORD BY: M. Toon

APR 7 1983

DATE: March 15, 1983

LEO J. DUGAN, Jr., Recorder



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## CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION

CARBONDALE (PA) HISTORICAL SOCIETY AND MUSEUM, INC.

FIRST: The name of this corporation is CARBONDALE (PA) HISTORICAL SOCIETY AND MUSEUM, INC.

*Alfred C. Keaton*  
SECRETARY OF STATE

SECOND: Its registered office in the State of Delaware is to be located at 725 Market Street in the City of Wilmington, County of New Castle. The registered agent in charge thereof is The Company Corporation at same address.

THIRD: The nature of the business and the objects and purposes proposed to be transacted, promoted and carried on, are to do any or all the things herein mentioned, as fully and to the same extent as natural persons might or could do, and in any part of the world, viz:

The purpose of the corporation is to engage in any lawful act or activity for which corporations may be organized under the general Corporation Law of Delaware.

Said corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational and scientific purposes, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law). The above-named corporation is a non-stock non-profit corporation.

FOURTH: The corporation shall not have any capital stock and the conditions of membership shall be stated in By-Laws.

FIFTH: The name and mailing address of the incorporator is as follows: Marcia A. Jenkins, 725 Market Street, Wilmington, DE 19801

SIXTH: The powers of the incorporator are to terminate upon filing of the certificate of incorporation, and the name(s) and mailing address(es) of the persons who are to serve as director(s) until their successors are elected are as follows: S. Robert Powell, Oliver R. Shifler, David J. Baum, Nan Daniels, Howard A. Yepson. The address of the five directors is: Post Office Box 151, Carbondale, PA 18407

SEVENTH: The activities and affairs of the corporation shall be managed by a board of directors. The number of directors which shall constitute the whole board shall be such as from time to time shall be fixed by, or in the manner provided in, the By-Laws, but in no case shall the number be less than one. The directors need not be members of the corporation unless so required by the By-Laws. The board of directors shall be elected by the members at the annual meeting of the corporation to be held on such date as the By-Laws may provide, and shall hold office until their successors are respectively elected and qualified. The By-Laws shall specify the number of directors necessary to constitute a quorum. The board of directors may, by resolution or resolutions, passed by a majority of the whole board, designate one or more committees which, to the extent provided in said resolution or resolutions or in the By-Laws of the corporation, shall have and may exercise all the powers of the board of directors in the management of the activities and affairs of the corporation and may have power to authorize the seal of the corporation to be affixed to all papers which may require it; and such committee or committees shall have such name or names as may be stated in the By-Laws of the corporation or as may be determined from time to time by resolution adopted by the board of directors. The directors of the corporation may, if the By-Laws so provide, be classified as to term of office. The corporation may elect such officers as the By-Laws may specify, who shall, subject to the provision of the Statute, have titles and exercise such duties as the By-Laws may provide. The board of directors is expressly authorized to make, alter or repeal the By-Laws of this corporation. This corporation may in its By-Laws confer powers upon its board of directors in addition to the foregoing, and in addition to the powers and authorities expressly conferred upon them by the Statute, provided that the board of directors shall not exercise any power of authority conferred herein or by Statute upon the members.

EIGHTH: Meetings of members may be held without the State of Delaware, if the By-Laws so provide. The books of the corporation may be kept (subject to any provision contained in the Statutes) outside the State of Delaware at such place or places as may be from time to time designated by the board of directors.

NINTH: No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to, its members, directors, officers or other private persons, except that the corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in Article Third hereof. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from Federal income tax under section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law) or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170 (c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

TENTH: Upon the dissolution of the corporation, the Board of Directors shall, after paying or making provision for the payment of all of the liabilities of the corporation, dispose of all of the assets of the corporation exclusively for the purposes of the corporation in such manner, or to such organization or organizations organized and operated exclusively for charitable, educational, religious, or scientific purposes as shall at the time qualify as an exempt organization or organizations under section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Law) as the Board of Directors shall determine. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by the Court of Common Pleas of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations, as said Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

ELEVENTH: The corporation reserves the right to amend, alter, change or repeal any provision contained in this certificate of incorporation, in the manner now or hereafter prescribed by the Statute, and all rights conferred upon members herein are granted subject to this reservation.

I, THE UNDERSIGNED, being each of the incorporator hereinbefore named, for the purpose of forming a corporation pursuant to Chapter 1 of Title 8 of the Delaware Code, do make this certificate, hereby declaring and certifying that the facts herein stated are true, and accordingly have hereunto set my hand this 14th day of March, A.D. 1953.

Martin A. Fisher  
(Leave blank unless you are incorporator)

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## Woman in Minority as She Backs Proposed Tax Hike

BY DOMINIC COLLIER  
THE SCRANTON TIMES

Georgianna Cherinchak believes \$50 more a year can go a long way.

Others, though, don't want it to go much farther than their own wallets.

The Lackawanna County commissioners met with about 50 taxpayers Thursday night at the Carbondale Public Library in the first of four scheduled public hearings on the county's proposed 2001 budget. For the first time in four years, the budget comes with a tax increase.

The proposed spending plan

includes \$80.2 million for operating expenses and slightly more than \$2 million for capital projects. If approved, the budget's 15 percent tax increase will cost the average county property owner an additional 14 cents a day, or \$51.51 a year.

To Ms. Cherinchak, a Clarks Summit resident and business owner, that's a small price to pay to live here.

After praising the commissioners for what she called a "job well done" over the past year, Ms. Cherinchak pointed out county tax dollars go to programs

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Robert Powell, president of the Carbondale Historical Society, presents Lackawanna County Commissioner Robert Cordaro with a letter detailing funding for the society at a county-budget hearing Thursday night.

SRP—↑

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## TAX

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that help the elderly and the disabled — like Meals on Wheels, the county health care center and public transportation for people with disabilities.

"I say that I am willing to pay that because of the quality of services that we have here," she said. "That \$50 is not outrageous."

There were others, however, who believe county taxpayers already are paying more than their fair share.

Frank Wanat, of Greenfield Township, criticized the commissioners for budgeting tax dollars toward "entertainment" ventures like the Montage Mountain ski resort.

He also blasted the majority Democratic commissioners for even considering the purchase of the Scranton Municipal Golf Course.

"Our taxes in the county are too high now," Mr. Wanat said. "My county tax bill is almost half my school tax bill. I think it's time to stop this."

Opponents of the proposed tax hike found a friend in Republican minority Commissioner Robert Cordaro, who said the proposal was unacceptable because it is "essentially double inflation."

"For whatever reason, we've had a major tax increase after each election, and here's another one," Mr. Cordaro said. "We have to look at how to avoid this gargantuan tax increase."

Majority Commissioner Joseph Corcoran blamed the tax increase on higher energy costs, growing expenses for operating the county prison and juvenile detention center, and the ever-rising cost of health insurance.

"These are things we're mandated to do," Mr. Corcoran said. "Unfortunately, there's not a lot we can do to control these things."

my presentation  
went, I think,  
very well. Let's  
hope for the  
best.

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CC:

Hi,

Just realized that you will be on TV this week. Unfortunately, I won't be able to see the broadcast (my TV won't fit in my cube). In light of this, maybe we can have a private viewing with our "cultural club."

Just wanted to wish you good luck and to tell you to have a fun time.

Miss you at lunch, maybe we can get together next week or whenever you have time.

See you later.

Bev

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**CC:**

Robert,

Good luck tomorrow with your appearance on the Today show. You'll be terrific! Hope to see it. What time do you expect them to feature your segment?

I saw your picture in the Scranton Times the other day and cut it out for you. Hopefully we can get together for lunch soon and you can tell us about your adventures. I'm also caring around the pictures in my purse from the Summer solstice picnic for you to see.

Have fun, Ginger



This was his reply.

Hello →  
 ← Hello  
 Uncle Robert →  
 ← Nephew Don

I left their messages on  
 DWP II's bed on 11/3, when I  
 left for Maryland

This suggests a  
 new <sup>naming</sup> mode — I'll  
 call DWP II "Nephew Don"  
 when he's next here.

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SERVICE REVIEW		
VEHICLE ID	DATE	MILEAGE
PA-YW25669	10/19/00	18,794

S. ROBERT POWELL - 1999 JEFF LUBE SERVICE HISTORY 1500 PU V8-325 5.3L

DATE	MILEAGE	SERVICES	LEGEND
08/07/00	15,199	SS	AF Air Filter
03/31/00	10,103	FS OTH	FS Full Service
12/08/99	6,047	FS	OTH Other
07/02/99	102,623	FS	PCV Pcv Valve
02/22/99	97,379	FS TDF TOP	RC Radiator Caps
11/19/98	93,936	FS AF PCV	SS Signature Service
09/30/98	90,947	FS	TDF Transmission Drain & Fill
11/17/97	78,351	FS RC TOP WB	TOP Top Offs
02/24/97	65,525	FS AF TOP	WB Wiper Blades
09/20/96	58,453	FS	
07/12/96	54,647	FS	
04/22/96	50,447	FS AF PCV WB	

MANUFACTURER'S RECOMMENDED SERVICE INTERVALS			
SERVICE	ACTION	MILES SINCE LAST SERVICE	PRICE
Oil	*Change Every 3,000 miles.	3,595	
Automatic Transmission	Change Fluid Every 100,000 miles.	-78,585	
Interior Air Filter	Replace Every 15,000 miles.	No Record	
Fuel Filter	*Replace Every 12,000 miles.	No Record	
Cooling System	Change Coolant Every 150,000 miles or 60 months.	No Record	
Differential	*Change Lubricant Every 15,000 miles.	No Record	
Transfer Case	*Change Fluid More Frequently Off-road use may require more frequent lubrication.	No Record	
Tires	*Inspect/rotate Every 12,000 miles.	No Record	
OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS			
Air Filter	Replace AS NEEDED	-75,142	
Breather	Replace AS NEEDED	No Record	
Pcv	Replace AS NEEDED	-75,142	
Fuel Injectors	Service AS NEEDED	No Record	
Wipers	Replace AS NEEDED	-59,557	
Serpentine Belt	Replace AS NEEDED	No Record	
ChekChart Reference Number: CT-8,9			

\* - Indicates a severe service recommendation. Most cars operate under severe service conditions, so severe recommendations are shown when available.

Jiffy Lube joins many automobile industry experts in recommending oil changes every 3,000 miles. Otherwise, the recommendations above are based on vehicle manufacturers' recommendations as compiled and reported by Chek Chart Publications, a nationally recognized provider of vehicle information. Your vehicle may not be equipped with all of the equipment for which a service recommendation is specified above. Your vehicle may have special equipment that requires different maintenance intervals.

"Severe Service" as defined by most automobile manufacturers, consists of operating a vehicle under any of the following conditions:

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- Sustained, high speed driving in hot weather
- Driving in dust or sand
- Pulling trailers or heavy loads
- Taxi, police and ambulance type driving
- Cold weather that prevents full engine warm-up

JL104.1

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10/31/00

[Stepanovich; I used to work  
with her at ICS]

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Dear Colleen & Mike —

Thanks for the Halloween invitation.  
I wish I could have been there.  
as it turns out, I was in  
Boston judging a poultry show  
this past weekend.

Poultry News: I was on the  
Today show on Oct. 25th —

me and about 10 of my  
chickens & Matt & Katie.

It was a very nice experience.

Detail when I see you.

Thanks again for the invitation.

Robert Powell

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Hey Robert!

How's it going? Ginger said that you made a TV appearance, and I wanted to send a quick note to write that I am happy that things are going well for you, and to let you know that I am thinking of restarting the swim lunches, perhaps once or twice a week. If you have the free time, let me know.

Your friend,

Carl

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CC:

October 31

Carl:

Good to hear from you.

Your enthusiasm, good cheer, and spontaneity are very compelling, and I miss being a part of your world.

It was, I must say, very exciting to be on the "Today" show last Wednesday with some of my feathered friends. At least one half of me loves living in the country; at least one half of me loves all the big city stuff.

Restarting the swim/lunches sounds like a great idea. One of these days soon, I'll give you a call in mid-morning.

See ya soon.

Robert

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## **PRESS RELEASE**

Friday, November 10, 2000, from

### **CARBONDALE HISTORICAL SOCIETY and MUSEUM, INC.**

Post Office Box 151, Carbondale, PA 18407

Phone: 570-282-0385

Working on behalf of Carbondale's Past, Present, and Future

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### **MAYORS' PORTRAITS TO BE UNVEILED**

Plans are now complete for the unveiling in City Council Chambers of three additional portraits of mayors of Carbondale. The ceremonies, sponsored by the Carbondale Historical Society, will take place on Sunday afternoon, November 19, beginning at 2 P.M.

The master of ceremonies will be the Historical Society's president, Dr. S. Robert Powell. Mr. and Mrs. Myron Hellman will preside at the refreshment table. The public is cordially invited to attend.

The three mayors whose portraits will be unveiled in these ceremonies are: Mayor William Brennan (1865-1866), Thomas Voyle (1867-1869, 1873-1874, 1882-1883), and John Jordan (2000—present). The portraits of Mayors Brennan and Voyle are original compositions by Alice Stolle, Carbondale.

These portraits will become a part of the permanent exhibition of mayors' portraits in Council Chambers. The exhibition curator is Joseph Pascoe, the treasurer of the Historical Society.

Portraits of 25 of Carbondale's mayors already are on display in Council Chambers, including a photographic reproduction of an oil painting by J. W. Raught of the city's first mayor, James Archbald.

This painting is an oil on canvas that was copied by Raught from a painting by Elliott, dated 1845. The Raught painting of James Archbald was presented to the city of Carbondale by James Archbald's daughter, Mary Wodrow Archbald Catlin.



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1873-1874, 1882-1883)  
Mayor John Jordan (2000—present)

Plans are now complete for the unveiling of the portraits of Mayor William Brennan, Mayor Thomas Voyle, and Mayor John Jordan in Carbondale City Council Chambers on Sunday, November 19, 2000, at 2 P.M.

This is an invitation to you, your family, and friends to attend and to participate in these installation ceremonies.

The portraits of 25 former mayors of Carbondale have already been installed in Council Chambers, as part of a long-term project on the part of the Historical Society to celebrate our local history.

We look forward to seeing you on November 19th.

Sincerely,

S. Robert Powell  
President

11/11/00, 240 P.M.

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Second load of hay now in the hay shed. John Peters just delivered 131 bales; on October 15, he brought down 118 bales. One dollar/bale + \$30 delivery charge per load. Very reasonable, indeed. I have not yet started to feed hay and I will delay starting for probably another week. There's still plenty of grass in the field for the 8 Herefords—all of which now look superb in their winter coats. John and I have tentatively agreed that he will bring down another load two weeks from today—November 25th. I am pleased that DWP II will be here then and he will be interested, I'm sure, in helping unload the hay. He will be here for the period 11/21-26, I believe.

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11/11/00 — Dinner at the Baptist Church with  
Joe Pascal, Alice Stolle, and Francis Cerna  
(who makes his own wine and who  
remarked to Joe: "Well, it's St.

Martin's Day, and so I tasted  
the new wine, as you're supposed  
to." How interesting! Taste this  
year's wine <sup>today</sup>, and see how it's  
progressing. The wine should be  
ready by the first of the year,  
said he.

Indian Summer — it must  
fall between St. Martin's Day  
and November 20. See the  
excellent article on the  
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## Indian Summer: What, Why, and When

□ AFTER LABOR DAY HAS PASSED, IT seems that almost any warm day in the northern part of the United States is referred to by most people as "Indian summer." And while their error is certainly not of the world-shaking variety, they are, for the most part, in error.

Besides specific dates, there are certain Indian summer criteria to be met. Indian summer is warm, of course. In addition, however, the atmosphere during Indian summer is hazy or smoky, there is no wind, the barometer is standing high, and the nights are clear and chilly. Meteorologists describe these fall conditions as caused by conversion of a moving, cool, shallow polar air mass into a deep, warm, and stagnant anticyclone (high pressure) system, which has the effect of concentrating natural dust and smoke in the air near the ground and causing a large swing in temperature between day and night.

The more controversial aspect of Indian summer is the *time* of its occurrence. Or whether or not there is a certain time. Most would agree that warm days in the fall do not of themselves constitute Indian summer unless they follow a spell of cold weather or a good hard frost.

Beyond that, many references to Indian summer in American literature indicate a time of "late fall" or "after late October." This is in contrast, therefore, with the time of Indian summer in old England, which can come in September, known then as St. Augustine's

summer; in October, St. Luke's summer; or in November, St. Martin's summer. Those particular saints' days occur August 28, October 18, and November 11, respectively.

For the past 193 years this publication (as well as many other 19th-century almanacs) has always adhered to the saying, "If All Saints brings out winter, St. Martin's brings out Indian summer." Accordingly, Indian summer can occur between St. Martin's Day, November 11, and November 20. If the conditions that constitute Indian summer, described above, do not occur within those dates, then there is *no* Indian summer that year.

If there is a period of warm fall weather at a time other than between St. Martin's Day and November 20, then such a time could be correctly described as being *like* Indian summer.

Finally, why is Indian summer called Indian summer? Some say it comes to us from early Indians who believed the condition was caused by a certain wind emanating from the court of their God Cautantowwit or the Southwestern God. Others feel the term evolved from the fact that around the time of Indian summer, or shortly before it, the deciduous trees are "dressed" as colorfully as Indians.

The most probable origin of the term, in our view, goes back to the very early settlers in New England. Each year they would welcome the arrival of cold wintry weather in late October when they could leave their stockades without worrying about Indian attacks and commence preparing their fields for the following spring plantings. The Indians didn't like attacking in cold weather. But then came a time, almost every year around St. Martin's Day, when it would suddenly turn warm again, and the Indians would decide to have one more go at the settlers even though it was no longer their normal raiding season. "Indian summer," the settlers called it. □ □



11/11/00 - 10:35 P.M.

The mountain of papers on my desk is now largely under control. It has taken me many hours to get to this point. The mountain grew during the 8 weekends I was out of town this Fall:

9/14 - Monday - Syracuse, NY

9/9-10 - Bath, NY

9/15-17 - Mason City, IA

9/23-24 - Cobleskill, NY

9/30-10/1 - Flemington, NJ

10/14-15 - Bloomsburg, PA

10/20-22 - Woodstock, Ontario, Canada

10/28-29 - Boston, MA

11/4-5 - Frederick, MD

It was a wonderful and very gratifying Fall poultry season —

but during those many out-of-town weekends, not <sup>much</sup> got done at my desk — and the "mountain" grew.

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Subject: Thanksgiving

Date: November 13, 2000 1:40:45 PM EST

To: [DWP28@aol.com](#) [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

Monday, November 13

Nephew Don:

Glad to learn that you'll be spending six days here, starting next Tuesday.

Who knows what the weather is supposed to be like. Your father mentioned this morning that it's supposed to snow this Thursday. People are still golfing, of course.

The poultry show season is over now. This past weekend was the first weekend that I have been home in months.

Got another load of hay on Saturday; another load scheduled for the Saturday after Thanksgiving. Maybe you can help unload hay?

I wonder if you have been covering this Florida election thing in your social studies classes at school?

Uncle Robert



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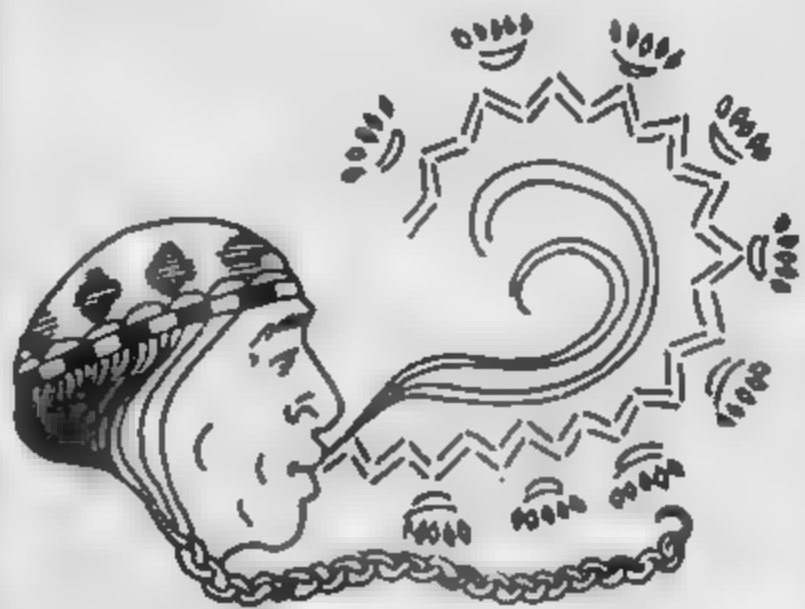
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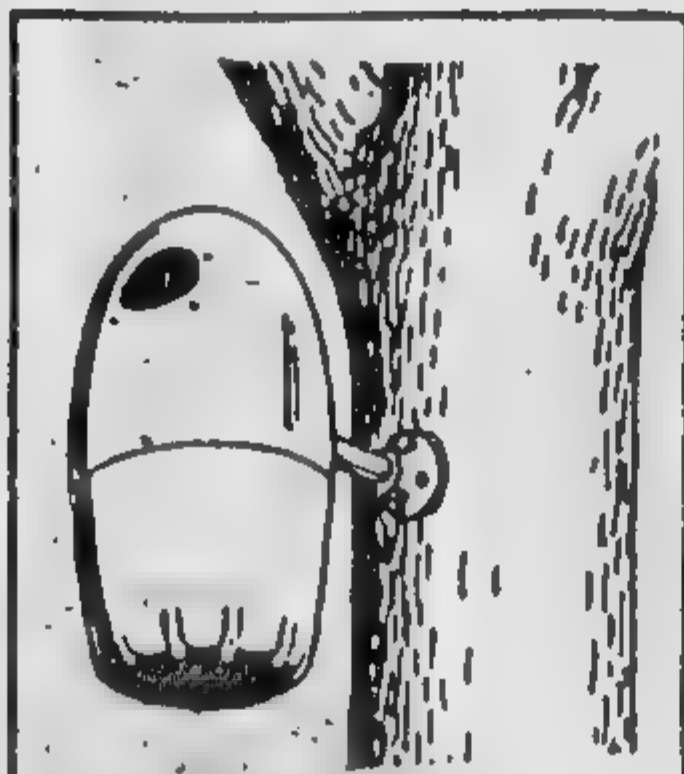
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CC: [bpetrini@harcourtbrace.com](#) [Add to Address Book](#)

CC: [ethompson@harcourtbrace.com](#) [Add to Address Book](#)

Tuesday, November 21

Hello Fellow Travelers:

Well, I'm feeling somewhat guilty about not having been a better correspondent with kindred spirits such as you. But as we all know, much too well, things sort of pile up.

New York on December 9th sounds great. If someone can front me the cash for the reservation, I'll reimburse you as soon as I see you--on the 9th, if not before. Or should I send a check to someone?

Thanksgiving is one of my favorite holidays. My nephew arrives tonight for a six-day visit, and that will be fun. We will celebrate the holiday in a very traditional manner.

Happy Thanksgiving to all. See ya soon.

Robert

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Subject: This and That

Date: November 22, 2000 2:26:17 PM EST

To: [Donald W. Powell <dwp28@aol.com>](#) [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

Wednesday, November 22, 2000

Nephew Don:

What do you know about the periodic table of the elements?

What do you know about the thirteen colonies?

What do you know about "Tom Sawyer"?

Uncle Robert

*Donald watched me write  
and send this message to  
him at the Carbondale  
Library.*

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Robert,

Good to hear from you.

Are any of your turkeys going to "join in" the celebration?

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Happy Thanksgiving.

Beth

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Date: November 21, 2000 2:38:35 PM EST

To: [srobert powell <srobertpowell@juno.com>](mailto:srobertpowell@juno.com) [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

Hi Stranger,

Great to hear from you again. I'll front the money. Glad to hear you will be having a fun time with your nephew during the upcoming holiday.

I've been very busy with school, work, etc. I can't wait until it's all over and I can relax.

Looking forward to seeing you on the 9th.

Have a wonderful holiday.

Bev

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Date: November 21, 2000 10:40:12 PM EST

To: [srobertpowell@juno.com](mailto:srobertpowell@juno.com) [Add to Address Book](#)

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Glad to hear from you.

Looking forward to our trip. It follows my "39th" Birthday !

I will be ready to celebrate with my "kindred spirits"

Enjoy the holiday with your family and friends.

am

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Hi Robert,

Wanted to wish you a warm and delightful Thanksgiving. I usually put up a pot of molled wine, (for days). Like a little witch I'm off to my brew. Best of good eats and treats, and fine company.

Regards.

Grace

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(Please respond as soon as possible. In the past it has been necessary  
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2b 28% rate gain

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4 Federal income  
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November 16, 2000

Board of Directors  
Carbondale Public Library  
Carbondale PA 18407

Dear Board Member:

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Directors will be held on Tuesday, November 21, at 7:30 P.M. at the library.

We will hear any reports of contacts, successful and otherwise, made for our special gifts drive to pay off our mortgage. We will soon see the year 2001, the year when we must take over mortgage payments.

All standing committees will give their reports.

Please try to attend this meeting.

Sincerely,



Martin Langan  
President  
Carbondale Library Association

PS: There are still tickets available for Sunday's (Nov. 19) performance of our dinner/theater.



## Patriotism

By Donald W. Powell

Patriotism means love of country. The word *patriotism* is derived from the Greek word *patriot*, meaning *fatherland*.

To show patriotism you must show admiration and love for the fatherland and the customs and traditions your country has. The feelings a person has for his family are the same feelings he could have for his country. They are both units to which we all belong. Just as one would want to love and protect his family, so, too, he would want to love and protect his country.

People who are patriotic are willing to defend their country against all challengers or those who will not allow them to exercise their rights as citizens of an independent country. The Pilgrims, for example, left England and came to what would become America in search of religious freedom. Here, they were allowed to practice their religion without restrictions. Ultimately this love of personal liberty became the cornerstone of the American nation—a land where the right to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness is now taken for granted. Four of those patriots (John Alden, Priscilla Mullins, and her parents) are, I am proud to say, ancestors of mine.

At the time of the American Revolution, for example patriotism meant taking a stand against British domination. The patriots of the time, one of whom, John Griswold, an ancestor of mine, took a patriotic stand and helped to create the country we now call America.

During the Civil War patriotism meant many different things to many different people. To those in the North it meant one thing and to those in the South it meant another. To Alvin R. Squire, my great, great, great, great grandfather, and thousands of such men it meant fighting for the North. For thousands of other Americans it meant fighting for the South. Only one of those causes could prevail if America was to survive. Because of that difficult war we are now a unified nation. More recently, my father's brother Russell enlisted in the Navy during the Vietnam War and spent two years in Antarctica as a Seabee.

For me, then, given the patriotic stand many of my ancestors took in the course of American history, and given my own personal beliefs and ideals, patriotism has a dual meaning—love of family, love of country.

Written by DWP II  
over Thanksgiving  
holiday, 2000

11-18-2000

1279

The circasian bedroom used to be Grandma Russell's (OELR) and then it was Mom's in her final years and now it has become mine. I moved in here when there was no longer any room in my bedroom at the left at the top of the stairs — too many filing cabinets and dressers.

I do like sleeping in the Circasian room. Bed very comfortable. Every morning, I make the bed and make the room look very presentable before I go downstairs.

It's a wonderful room to wake up in — all the windows. The three-drawer night stand came here from 14 Parte Avenue — the Samuel Jones house. Mom's sewing machine & typewriter are still in this room. Also, "Kenneth's Chair" from Edith Gardner.

upholstered Victorian arm chair

11-19-2000

1280

Alice Voyle Rashleigh (AVR) was a friend of the Will Russell family. AVR's mother's father, Thomas Voyle, was a mayor of Carbondale in the 19th century (he served 3 different terms). This afternoon at 2 P.M. in City Council Chambers in City Hall, we (the Historical Society) unveiled a portrait of Thomas Voyle — also portraits of mayors William Brennan & John Jordan. TV coverage of the event was broadcast on Channel 16 at 6 P.M.; also on FOX-TV at 10 P.M.

During the 6 P.M. coverage, I spoke on the air. Very good coverage for Carbondale and for the Historical Society. I am very pleased. To commemorate the event, I made a recipe of AVR's "pickled beets" — which is in Mom's recipe file and marked "very good." AVR would be very pleased to know what we did today for her beloved city.



11-20-2000

1281

The holiday memories that mean so much to all of us as adults are founded on special moments which, in spite of their monumentality to us as adults, were frequently brief interludes / happenings in what were probably quite ordinary days. And such memories are startlingly fragile and transitory and almost always highly personal. They evaporate, invariably, at the moment of our deaths. My Thanksgiving memory package is different from yours, and necessarily so. What always strikes me as so sad at the time of someone's death is that their entire memory package — which sustained them through thick & thin, through good days and bad, year in and year out — evaporates and nothing can really be done about it.

11-21-2000

1282

Whenever I am at home and I know that DWP II is to arrive here for a visit, I always make a special effort to make sure that this house and everything about it are at their best to welcome DWP II. Tonight, I made sure that the light on the post out front & the front porch light were on, for example. Both are very welcoming and, with the snow covered ground, very beautiful. DWP II, to my great pleasure, remarked on how nice the lights out front on the snow looked. I always clean his room, make his bed, clean all the bathroom, the living room, and the upstairs hall. Everything is immaculate, in order, and "normal." If possible, I try to have something baking in the oven. And then when he arrives, the house can work its magic on him.

11-22-2000

1283

Amazing day. Filled to overflowing with activity. Very gratifying.

8:30 AM - Discovered that one of the Herefords was out during the night & on this side of the road. It returned to the pasture before we knew it was over here. It was probably a young one that got through the fence and then lost contact with the herd.

8:35 AM - Kitchen sink plumbing came apart; flood in the kitchen. DWP & I repaired the problem.

Noon - DWP II & I walked the entire fence around the cow pasture; no major breaks, but some reinforcing was necessary here & there.

2-4 PM - DWP II & I went to town; went to Carbondale News to thank Tom Fontana



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Delicious. As I made them, DWP II  
worked on his report on Connecticut.

for the page one story about my  
10/25/00 appearance on the Today  
show; then to Library to  
borrow some books for DWP II  
for a report on one of the 13  
American Colonies for school;  
Checked my e-mail; went  
to City Hall & got at Historical  
Society a typewriter so DWP II  
could type his report; went  
to office max to get Carbon  
film ribbon for typewriter;  
Went to Wegman's for  
groceries; Came home

5 PM — made a batch of  
English Pasties for supper;  
went up & did barn chores

7 PM — supper at the kitchen  
table

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8 P.M. — made Coriander Spice cake from scratch

830 P.M. — watched the video of "The Life of Emile Zola," starring Paul Muni — which is excellent.

at the Carbondale, I borrowed two copies of "The Adventures of Tom Sawyer," which DWP II has to read and which his father and I will also read in the next few days.

DWP II and I had some of the Coriander Spice cake — very good; it will also be dessert tomorrow — at Thanksgiving Dinner.

Very nice Thanksgiving. DWP I+II, Peg, & S R.P. We sat at the dining room table; we used Mom's Noritake China & silver. Two 3-branch Candelabras in the middle of the table. Turkey, mashed potatoes, rutabagas, orange/cranberry relish, stuffing, Cranberry bread, nut bread, Alice Rashleigh's pickled beets, Coriander spice cake for dessert - with Dayeeling tea. Everything went beautifully.

DWP II had a grand time. We talked a lot about family things and looked at lot of the photographs in the two drawers in the Alice Rashleigh bookcase in the dining room. I wouldn't change a single thing about the day had I to do it over again. Everything went beautifully & was very nice. In the early evening,

DWP II composed and typed a 300-word essay on "patricism". Tomorrow he will go with the Shust family to watch Dan Shust play in a big playoff game in Shamokin. Departure about 3 P.M.



11-23-00-2 Incubator on.

1287

I will put 42 eggs into an incubator tomorrow - mostly Partridge and Silver-Penciled Rock eggs, but also a few Buff Orpington and maybe one or two Buff Minorca / Orpington cross eggs. I have good reason to believe that fertility will be good, but it's all a gamble / unknown at this point, of course. The good thing is that the breeding pens are set up and "working" and lots of fertile eggs and chicks will follow in due time.

With any luck, then, I will have some chicks by Christmas. And once egg production kicks in big, I should get 8-10 eggs per day and by then I should be able to hatch as many chicks as I want. What I really want to do is hatch several hundred Partridge & Silver-Penciled Rocks this winter and spring.

11-26-00

Wonderful day with DWP II. He helped me unload two loads of hay that John Peters brought down — 125 bales at 11 AM; 131 bal - at 430 P.M. We three stacked the hay in the hay wagon near the back of Decker's Field & then covered it with plastic. DWP II and I had a nice walk in the woods at the back of the field, which I love a great deal and so does DWP II. In the evening, we made a batch of gingerbread cookies — using the traditional cookie cutters, one of which belonged to Margaret Gilespie Locke Russell (my maternal grandfather's mother). We then decorated about 20 of the cookies with teal-colored icing. I enjoyed the day a great deal and so did DWP II. It pleases me a great deal that he is so fond of the 50 acres across the road from the house.

12-02-00 Animals in winter, especially those that can remain outside & which must be fed & watered by us humans, e.g. Hereford cattle, mute swans, and muscovy ducks, become, quite understandably, very tame. They quickly learn, of course, where their next meal comes from & so they become "friendly" with their keepers. I can walk right up to and touch (scratch their ears & noses) most of the cows now. In the summer, I can't get closer than 20 feet. The same is largely true of the swans, although I can't touch them — even in winter.

This winter behavior on their part is very gratifying to their owner — who derives a great deal of pleasure out of looking after their <sup>winter</sup> survival needs. It's gratifying, I guess, because it gives me a good feeling (1) to know that I am needed, and (2) to satisfy so completely their needs. Winter, it appears, fosters a strengthening



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of the bond between them and me. The cats, as well, are "friendlier" in winter than summer.

The hay wagon, piled sky-high with bales of hay, has become the locus of the cows' world. In many respects, they are focused on it as they would be on a haystack. It's all quite cozy and wonderful. For the next 6 or 8 weeks at least, the cows will be fed from the hay wagon. Then, in mid-to late-January, I'll start feeding them from the hay shed by the bridge.

And then it will be spring. I know it's only December 2nd, but I have already begun to project forward into early spring. I look forward to the solstice so that I can note & observe signs of spring.

12-3-00 Death in the Cow Pasture. <sup>1291</sup>

Nine months ago, on March 2, a cow and her twin calves all died in a terrible butch accident. The water broke first on the calf farthest from the butch canal, and it couldn't get around its twin. In a desperate effort to be born its feet & legs must have pierced its mother's womb, causing her to bleed to death & then the two calves died. It must have been a terrible death for them all. She died in the hemlock woods and that is where I buried her on March 5. Burying the cow & her unborn calves in the woods in the largely frozen ground was like trying to bury a refrigerator in an asphalt-covered parking lot. The whole sequence of events was very difficult on me. It's only now — 9 months later — that I can even write about it. Last week when DWP II was

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here we looked at the pile of bones that was bossy and her calves. It now seems like it's over. For weeks after the difficult burial, I worried that the decaying carcasses would stink up the area around the house and affect the golf course's business. They didn't, mercifully. All summer long, I avoided the death area. It's over now, I believe.

Two beautiful calves were born to other cows later in the spring - a bull, and a heifer - both born without any problems. The heifer has horns. She is the first female calf born here and I am very pleased to have her. There are now 8 Herefords in my small herd, which I keep in tribute to



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Grandpa Russell (W. A. R.), my maternal grandfather -- a dairy farmer. During his day my cow pasture was a hayfield that we called Decker's Field, because a Decker family lived in the <sup>3rd</sup> house up the dirt road by the edge of the cow pasture. Damian Rusin & family live there now. My 8 Herefords live in cow heaven -- plenty of open field & abundant grass; plenty of hemlock & open woods where it is cool in the summer & warm in the winter; abundant water in the creek. I feed the cows about the same time every morning: four bales a day keeps them quite content. They take in stride the coldest of winter days. They are remarkable animals.

12-8-00 Getting Back to Normal.

1294

after about 10 days of computer problems at the Carbondale Public Library, things have returned to normal, at least as far as the computer upstairs is concerned. Today, this afternoon, I was very pleased to be able to update - on a disk - my "District 2. ltr" files and then upload them to the Internet. It's not an especially difficult process when the machines are working properly, but when the machines are not in perfect order it is an impossibility. If time had allowed, I would also have updated the arlington webpage material. That will have to take place next week. While at the CPL today, I took care of a lot of e-mail correspondence and bureaucratic details. Forge ahead. Keep pushing. Keep organizing. Keep Clarifying. And "the mountain" will go away.

12/10/00 - Crystal Band concert at Baptist Church, SRP as Master of Ceremonies. Huge success; the band sounded great.

12/13/00 - Christmas Dinner of the Historical Society at Pettinato's Restaurant. Wonderful success, about 50 people for dinner. We gave three awards for distinguished achievement in historical preservation (Tiffany-Davis house; Burdick-Cannell house; P.M.W.T.). I showed about 50 slides of Carbondale. Everyone loved the slide show.

12/15/00 - Carbondale City Hall Christmas Party. Mrs. Komorowsky, Rita Scath, Joe Pascoe, & I attended. Two County Commissioners were present and both were



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very friendly to us. Perhaps this means (I hope, I hope) that they have included the Carbondale Historical Society in the 2001 Lackawanna County budget for \$10,000. If so, that will guarantee the survival / the future of the Historical Society.

12/15/00 — e-mailed my column to Lorna Rhodes for the APTA's Winter 2000 "News + Views." As always, I worked very hard on my column — which I think reads well, very well. It's long and news-filled and will be seen as an important end-of-the-year statement from the District 2 director (i.e. — SRP).

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1297

DWP II arrived for an 8-day Christmas visit. Filled with enthusiasm was he about a big win in a wrestling tournament. He had the trophy with him. He is growing by leaps and bounds and is very committed to his physical presentation of self.

Within minutes of his arrival, at about 4 P.M., he was out on the hill here on his snow board. He will become a world class athlete in something — just about anything that he chooses, it seems.

I spent several hours cleaning and straightening up the inside of the house today before his arrival. I want him to associate cleanliness and order with this house.

When he came in from snowboarding, at about dark, I suggested that we should make some cookies of some kind. I had the Wherewithal to make a recipe of Mom's Date and Nut Pinwheel

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cooker and that is what we did for several hours. Every day that he is here, I will engage him in some never-to-be-forgotten Christmas-at-home experience. The Date and Nut Pinwheels qualify for today's memory chip, I would say. Tomorrow, Christmas Eve, it will probably be the trip to the woods beyond the cow pasture to cut down and drag home a Christmas tree - and then decorate it.

Chicks hatching in an incubator in my bedroom. About 15 now out and perhaps that many again to come. There appear to be some very nice looking Partridge Rock Chicks now out and about; also a few standard Buff Orpingtons which should be excellent birds. When I was candling eggs last night, I was very pleased to discover that the two White Ameraucana eggs are fertile.



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at mid-morning today, I gave 14 eggs to each of two setting hens (Buff orpington, Silver-Penciled Rock) up in the barn. There is no reason why they can't hatch and raise broods at this time of year. When they hatch, I will put them in pens with a brooder-lamp and they will be fine. Very cold last night — about 8 below zero when I got up at about 8 PM today. And again tonight it is cold. It was about zero when I came upstairs at about 1030 PM with DW & II. Winter is now about half over. Soon the days will be appreciably longer, and the march towards Spring will pick up a rapid pace and these very cold winter days will be dim memories.

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Using Grandma Russell's and Mom's recipe — and cooking pans — OWP II and I made seven Suet Puddings this afternoon / evening. It's a wonderful recipe with all manner of home-and-heart spices and ingredients. Instead of cooking them in Mom's pressure cooker, we cooked them / steamed them in a Canning Kettle on top of the stove — for three hours. They turned out beautifully / perfect — and we will have one at Christmas dinner tomorrow. I am very pleased, very pleased with the result. Suet pudding is, in many respects, the essence of Christmas for me and naturally I wanted them to turn out well. Mom would be so pleased to know that the tradition lives on. In mid-week, we'll have Joe Pascoe out for an evening and we'll have another suet pudding then.

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DWP II & his buddy Dan Shurt spent much of the day at Elk Mountain snow boarding. When they returned in late afternoon, he and I went over to the woods at the back of the cow pasture and cut down a Christmas tree — a hemlock. We dragged it home through the snow covered field and put it up in the living room in front of my curly maple linen press / china cupboard. We then mixed up the sweet pudding and got them going on the stove and then had supper (spaghetti & some of my home-canned tomato / basil / parsley spaghetti sauce. When the supper dishes were all washed & put away, DWP II and I then decorated the tree. Very festive. Tree goes all the way to the ceiling. It's everything it should be.



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1302

While all this Christmas eve  
behavior was going on, Chicks were  
hatching in an incubator in my  
bedroom — a total of 24 Chicks,  
with 21 of them Plymouth Rocks  
(mostly Partridge but also some  
Silver Pencilled) and 3 of them  
Standard Buff Orpingtons.  
Very nice hatch. I'll move  
the Chicks up to the barn  
tomorrow — probably in mid-  
morning. — into the same  
pen/brooder area as the 25+  
now there. These chicks have  
a very appealing big-ness to  
them — and I am very pleased  
to see so many Partridge  
Chicks. I will continue to set  
and hatch Rocks for several  
more months. I want to  
have at least 100 young Rocks  
by early Spring!

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1303

Very nice Christmas. Traditional in every way and very enjoyable. Turkey into the oven by 9 AM. DWP II and I then went over and fed the Herefords and then I took care of the chickens, swans, ducks, and pigeons.

DWP II did some snow-boarding, at about 11 AM, we prepared the potatoes & vegetables and then Cousin Peg arrived, with nut bread (Aunt Louise's recipe) and Brown Bread (Mom's recipe) and Cranberry Mead. We had dinner in the dining room, using Mom's Noritake and silver. Very ~~good~~ Tea & Suet Pudding for dessert. Then we opened presents in the living room. Very festive. We all had a good time. All the pre-Christmas frenzy and dashing about all seems to go away, beginning on Christmas eve, and then things get quiet and lovely and enjoyable. We are still in

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the clutches of a cold spell — the temperature was below  $10^{\circ}\text{F}$  for much of the day and there was an icy wind out of the NW.

all is well in the barn. In fact, in late-afternoon today I took the 24 newly hatched chicks up to the barn and put them in a brooder pen with the 25 of a couple weeks ago. The older chicks immediately began serving as role models / mentors for the younger ones. About 11 PM, I went up and checked on the chicks and they were in great form. There <sup>are</sup> around 50 eggs in the 2nd incubator in my bedroom and I will candle them tomorrow and see what's what. Another large batch of chicks are due to hatch this coming week-end. The breeding / hatching season is going well.



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1305

Donald had a grand time snow boarding at Elk Mountain this afternoon - and then tonight he snow boarded down #10 Fairway - between two lanterns with candles in them. I never would have believed that so much light could be given off by 2 candles. We had a very cozy supper at the kitchen table tonight - primarily the leftovers from Christmas dinner - and all very delicious. We three watched the final couple of hours of "Pride & Prejudice" with Colin Firth. Beautifully done. Donald will one day be the lord of "this manor" and will surely be a prize for some very lucky girl. My fondest wish is to see it all happen. The next ten years should be very interesting and enjoyable to be a part of. As Donald's uncle, I should have the advantage of a ring-side seat.

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To my great pleasure, another of my 2-year old Partridge Rock hens laid an egg today. I immediately arranged a conjugal visit with the half Partridge / half silver Penciled Cockerel that heads a breeding pen with about 6 other Partridge females. I will arrange such visits daily and can only hope that she lays a couple dozen eggs. Let's hope that this is a sign / indication that some of the other 2-year old Partridge hens will start to lay. Chicks from these old hens & the superior Cockerel mentioned above should be among the most wonderful Partridge Rocks anywhere. I want to raise at least 25 superior Partridge Rock pullets this year. Indications at present are that it will be a good breeding / hatching season.

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1307

Christmas gathering here with Joe Pascoe. We sat at the dining room table. I served tea and sweet pudding. We exchanged presents.

Earlier in the day, DWP II and I were in the "dollar store" on main street in Carbondale, where I saw a copy of "Puss in Boots."

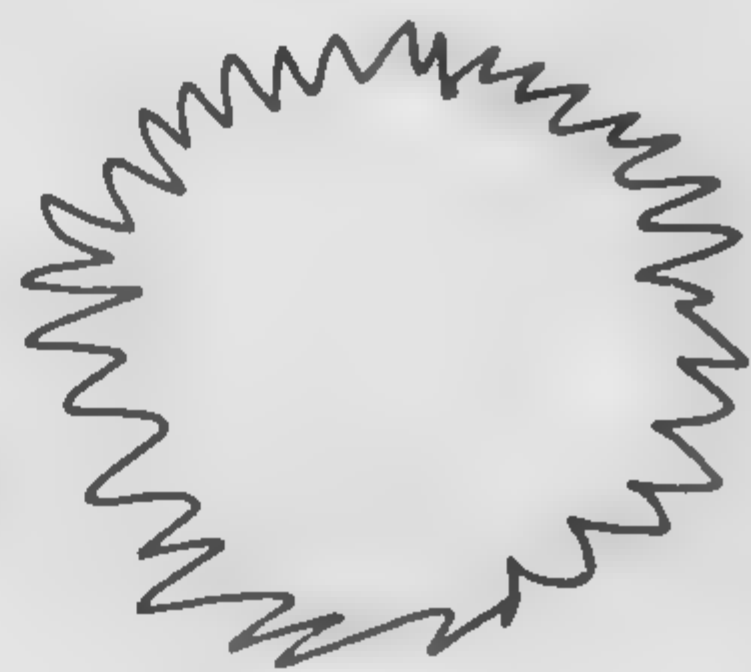
We (DWP II and I) read the complete text aloud at the dining room table tonight. I read the first page and then DWP II finished the story. Very charming. We should repeat the reading on an annual basis. The sweet pudding, which DWP II + I made earlier in the week, tasted wonderful. DWP II had two or three slices. The "seed", it appears, has been planted.



12/28/00 In the early evening, DWPT  
and I made a batch of gingerbread  
cookies from the Betty Crocker cook-  
book. We then decorated them with  
4 different colors of icing: orange,  
brown, avocado, and sky blue.

It's somewhat of an annual  
tradition for Donald and I to make  
gingerbread cookies. After we had  
finished and had tasted a couple  
of our creations, Donald declared  
them to be "the best ever" of our  
gingerbread cookie endeavours — and  
I think I agree with him. We

used only three cookie cutters —  
a large gingerbread man, a diamond  
shaped cookie, and the Margaret  
Russell cookie cutter — about  
2½" in diameter with  
the circumference in  
the following manner →  
(more or less)



12/29/00

1309

Spent much of the day preparing to print, and then having printed, the December 29, 2000 issue of the Newsletter of the Central Pennsylvania Avian Club. It's a 14-page newsletter and it's got lots of District 2 news in it. I made final corrections to the final copy at the Carbondale Library and then drove to Scranton and had copies printed at P.D.Q. Spent several hours this evening collating, peeling, and inserting in envelopes the printed copies. I won't have the mailing ready — at least I don't think I will — in time to get it to the Post office tomorrow, but I should have it all set to go by Tuesday, which is January 2nd. Made about 10 corrections to my article on American Game bantam for the 2001 APA Yearbook. Final copy of article due in APA office before January 31st

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1310

Alice Rashleigh would be proud of me!  
In ceremonies at Carbondale City Hall  
about an hour ago (11 P.M.) to kick off  
the year-long celebration of Carbondale's  
150th birthday, I was the principal  
speaker. The ceremonies took place  
in and around City Hall. The  
Mayor and I spoke from the  
balcony of City Hall. The crowd  
was below in the street - which  
was closed to vehicular traffic.  
I spoke in the capacity of  
president of the Historical Society.  
The thrust of my remarks was  
this: Carbondale's founders believed  
in themselves and their future.  
If we believe in ourselves and  
in our future, anything is  
possible. The sky's the limit.  
Get involved. We can build a future.



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1311

Most appropriately on this New Year's Eve, I have an incubator full of Plymouth Rock & Orpington eggs that are hatching tonight. In addition, I put about 50 eggs into another incubator earlier this evening. So there are many new beginnings underway here in the poultry world. There are also a couple of hens up in the barn that are hatching chicks tonight.

I spent several hours today and tonight working on two poultry articles for the APA and ABA 2001 Yearbooks: an article on American Game bantams for the APA; an article on Frank L. Gary for the ABA. Both are due on January 31st; both will be quite long.

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Speak with your financial planner, lawyer, accountant, or other professional you're working with and talk with him or her about leaving a gift to the Carbondale Public Library in your will. Your professional advisor will make sure that you are getting the maximum tax and legal advantages allowed for your gift. You have the power to make an incredible difference to the Carbondale Public Library. Remember the Library in your will. Leave a legacy.

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 2 " vinegar  
 2 " sugar  
 1 lemon sliced thin  
 1 tablespoonful cinnamon  
 1 teaspoonful cloves  
 1 " allspice  
 Cover beets with this mixture & simmer  
 for 15 min. Seal in hot jars. AV.R.

Russell's  
 Aug. 10/39  
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 recipe

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Excellent. Made a batch  
 in November 2000 & we  
 had some at Thanksgiving  
 dinner. Gave a quart  
 to Peg.



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November 29, 2000

Dear Sally:

I have been using the computers in the Carbondale Library to type up the minutes of library Board meetings and other library-related matters. I have been storing the files of the minutes of all Board meetings on a disk (which makes it convenient, because sometimes there are corrections and additions to the minutes after the meeting has taken place).

Now it appears that the A drive on the Carbondale computers (perhaps all computers in the system) has been disabled or perhaps just made into a read-only drive. This causes a problem because I can't access what I originally typed.

How do I solve this problem. If you or anyone wants to scan my disks to make sure that they contain no viruses, that will be fine with me. I can even leave my disks at the desk in the Carbondale Library to guarantee that they are not used anywhere else (which would perhaps expose them to a virus of some sort) and then pick them up when I come into the Carbondale Library to do work on the computers here.

Any assistance that you can provide in helping me around this electronic roadblock would be much appreciated.

Sincerely,

S. Robert Powell  
Member of the Board of the Carbondale Library

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# MOOSIC GRANGE 1041

Waymart, PA 18472

November 7, 2000

Mr. Randy Howell  
R. D. 1, Box 134  
Waymart, PA 18472

Dear Randy:

Thank you for your letter of October 11, 2000.

We are very pleased to learn that you are interested in buying the Moosic Grange building and land for \$5,000. We are at present making inquiries on exactly how we should proceed in closing on this business and will let you know what the next step is as soon as we can.

Sincerely,



S. Robert Powell  
Secretary, Moosic Grange  
R. D. #1, Box 40  
Carbondale, PA 18407-9706



## Cast

(in order of appearance)

Richard Willey.....James Knapp  
The Manager.....Becky Lee Murray  
The Waiter.....Stephen Bresset  
Jane Worthington.....Sarah Gengarelly  
A Body.....Stephen Martino  
George Pigden.....Dr. Peter Pettinato  
Ronnie.....Christopher Bresset  
Pamela.....Mariel Consagra  
Gladys.....Melissa Bevacqua

## Synopsis

The action of the play takes place in Suite 648 of the Watergate Hotel. It is about 8:30 PM on a September evening. The action is continuous with one intermission.

"Out of Order" is presented by special arrangements with Samuel French, Inc. New York.

Taking photos with flash attachments is strictly prohibited.

Visit our NEW Web Site at

[www.the-act.org](http://www.the-act.org)

Area Community Theatre

presents

With Joe Pave  
on 11/17/00

OUT  
OF  
ORDER  
BY RAY CONNEY

Author of last  
season's smash hit  
"Run For Your Wife"

Gloria

Directed by  
Dr. Peter Pettinato

November 2000

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12:30  
Sunday

## Area Community Theatre

We are again seeking your support as Benefactors (\$100+), Angels (\$50+), Sponsors (\$20+), Patrons (\$10+) and Friends (\$5+). If you belong to an organization or business, we ask you to consider becoming a "Producer," which would sponsor one (1) production, with the proper credit given to the producing organization, and a special night for the employees of the producing business. You can become a Producer with a donation of (\$1000+).

We also need ACTORS! Both female and male actors (no experience necessary) for our upcoming productions of "The Farnedale Avenue Housing Estate Townswomen's Guild Dramatic Society's Production of Macbeth." Look in the local newspapers, on Adams CATV - Channel 7 and weekly entertainment papers, as well as on TV and Radio announcements. Call us at 570-282-5071

We have a new Web Site address. You should visit us with all the information on our 2000-2001 season and find out about our members, on a page of their own (photo included with a short biography - soon to come). The new Web Site is currently under construction and is:

**[www.the-act.org](http://www.the-act.org)**

(ready by Jan. 1, 2001)

**Please continue your support!**

*Paul A. Cerra*

Executive Artistic Director



## Technical Staff

Director.....Dr. Peter Pettinato  
Set Construction.....Bill Gable  
Lights and sound.....Tara Knapp  
Props.....Tara Knapp  
Window operators.....Maggie Pettinato  
Judy Martino  
Upholsterer.....Becky Lee Murray  
Tara Knapp  
Painters.....Carm Pettinato  
Barb Pettinato  
James Knapp  
Servers.....Theresa Baker  
Barb Pettinato

## ACT Players Staff

President.....Dr. Peter Pettinato  
Vice President.....James Knapp  
Secretary.....Maria Knapp  
Advertising.....Bob DeLuca  
House Manager.....Becky Lee Murray  
Choreographer.....Tara Pliska  
Director Staff.....Paul Cerra  
Dr. Peter Pettinato, and Alex DeVirgilis

Board Members: Maggie Pettinato, Theresa Baker, Barb Pettinato, Carm Pettinato

## Area Community Theatre - Board

President & CEO.....Paul A. Cerra  
Vice-President.....Albert Davis  
Secretary-Treasurer.....Patricia Davis

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11-22-00

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## Obituaries

### HELEN R. WEDEMAN

Helen R. Wedeman, Greenfield Township, died Tuesday, Nov. 14, morning at Marian Community Hospital, Carbonate, after an illness. She was the widow of Warrick Wedeman, who died in 1981.

Born in Jermyn, daughter of the late Frederick and Ruth Carey Stephens, she was a presser in several local dress factories for 27 years before retirement.

Surviving are a daughter, Louise Schweitzer, Greenfield Township; a brother, Thomas Stephens, San Jose, Calif.; four grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; four great-great-grandchildren; nieces and nephews.

She was also preceded in death by two brothers, Robert and Spencer.

Funeral arrangements were made by Battenberg Funeral Home, Jermyn.

Helen & Warrick Wedeman were friends of Mom & Dad's. They were always nice to us. I remember going to their house, just up the Whitmore Road.

The kitchen was big and appeared to be the center of activity for the house: one sat in the kitchen in the evening, it seemed.



11/30/00

Dear Louise,  
 I was sorry to learn of the death  
 of your mother.

Such fond memories of both  
 your parents will always be  
 with me. I remember several  
 visits to your house - the  
 very large & cozy kitchen in  
 particular.

The world of your parents &  
 my parents is quickly  
 disappearing. We were  
 lucky to have them  
 as parents. Sincerely,

A. Robert Powell

there is a day.

for deeper

and understanding

and heartfelt sympathy

A message of sincere

Robert

## Three more mayor portraits to be displayed in City Hall

The unveiling in City Council Chambers of three more portraits of mayors of Carbondale, sponsored by the Carbondale Historical Society, will take place on Sunday, Nov. 19, at 2 p.m.

The master of ceremonies will be the Historical Society's president, Dr. S. Robert Powell. Mr. and Mrs. Myron Hellman will preside at the refreshment table. The public is invited to attend.

The three mayors whose portraits will be unveiled are Mayor William Brennan (1865-1866), Thomas Voyle (1867-1869, 1873-1874, 1882-1883), and John Jordan (2000-present). The por-

traits of Mayors Brennan and Voyle are original compositions by Alice Stolle, Carbondale.

These portraits will become part of the permanent exhibition of mayors' portraits in Council Chambers. The exhibition curator is Joseph Pascoe, the treasurer of the Historical Society.

Portraits of 25 of Carbondale's mayors already are on display in Council Chambers, including a photographic reproduction of an oil painting by J.W. Raught of the city's first mayor, James Archbald. This painting is an oil on canvas that was copied by Raught from a painting by Elliott, dated 1845.

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page one*

*Someone from Chanel 16 was  
present at the unveiling &  
we had excellent TV  
Coverage for the event.  
SRP was interviewed on  
Camera*



## **17th Annual Christmas Concert**

Sunday, December 10, 2000, 7:30 P.M.

Berean Baptist Church

North Church Street and Lincoln Avenue

Traditional Christmas Music Performed by

## **THE CRYSTAL BAND**

Thomas Frew, Conductor

Sponsored by the

**Carbondale Historical Society & Museum, Inc.**

as a Christmas gift to the community as a whole, and the

**Berean Baptist Church**

Refreshments will be served following the concert.



# NOTE CARDS FOR SALE

Copies are available of the **James Archbald note card** that the Historical Society had produced to commemorate the permanent exhibition of portraits of Carbondale's mayors in City Council Chambers. These cards come in packets of ten cards + envelopes, and sell for \$5.00 a packet. Packets of these note cards would make very nice Christmas presents for out-of-town friends and relatives and anyone interested in Carbondale's rich history.

Stop at the Historical Society on the third floor of City Hall to purchase cards. Phone ahead (282-0385) to make sure that the office is open. Or you can order packets of these cards by mail, using the form given at the bottom of this page.

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FROM: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Please send me \_\_\_\_\_ packs of the James Archbald note card at \$5.00 per pack of ten cards + envelopes. Enclose \$1.00 for shipping for 1 or 2 packs; \$2.00 for shipping 3 or more packs.

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Total \_\_\_\_\_

Enclosed is my check for \_\_\_\_\_.

Mail to: Carbondale Historical Society  
 Post Office Box 151  
 Carbondale, PA 18407

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and MUSEUM, INC.**

Post Office Box 151, Carbondale, PA 18407

Phone: 570-282-0385

Working on behalf of Carbondale's Past, Present, and Future

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December 4, 2000

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Davis  
40 Washington Street  
Carbondale, PA 18407

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Davis:

We would be pleased if you will be our guests at the annual Christmas Dinner of the Historical Society on December 13, 2000. The dinner will take place at Pettinato's Restaurant, beginning at 6 P.M.

During the program that will follow the dinner, the Society will present you with a distinguished achievement award for your outstanding restoration of the Tiffany/Davis House, Carbondale.

If you are able to accept this invitation, please telephone the Society's treasurer, Joseph Pascoe (282-4234) and indicate to him your choice of entrée for the dinner.

Sincerely yours,

S. Robert Powell  
President

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December 4, 2000

Mr. Robert Non  
Pleasant Mount Welding Incorporated  
45 Dundaff Street  
Carbondale, PA 18407

Dear Mr. Non:

We would be pleased if you and a guest will be our guests at the annual Christmas Dinner of the Historical Society on December 13, 2000. The dinner will take place at Pettinato's Restaurant, beginning at 6 P.M.

During the program that will follow the dinner, the Society will present you with a distinguished achievement award for your outstanding restoration of PMWI, Carbondale.

If you are able to accept this invitation, please telephone the Society's treasurer, Joseph Pascoe (282-4234) and indicate to him your choice of entrée for the dinner.

Sincerely yours,

S. Robert Powell  
President



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December 4, 2000

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carroll  
65 Seventh Avenue  
Carbondale, PA 18407

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Carroll:

We would be pleased if you will be our guests at the annual Christmas Dinner of the Historical Society on December 13, 2000. The dinner will take place at Pettinato's Restaurant, beginning at 6 P.M.

During the program that will follow the dinner, the Society will present you with a distinguished achievement award for your outstanding restoration of the Burke/Carroll House, Carbondale.

If you are able to accept this invitation, please telephone the Society's treasurer, Joseph Pascoe (282-4234) and indicate to him your choice of entrée for the dinner.

Sincerely yours,

S. Robert Powell  
President

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December 6, 2000

Property Committee  
Girl Scouts of America  
333 Madison Avenue  
Scranton, PA 18510

Dear Friends in Scouting:

In a conversation with the Rev. Paul W. Gere in the summer of 1999, we learned (1) that one of the fountains that used to stand in downtown Carbondale is now located at Camp Archbald in Brooklyn/Kingsley, and (2) that the Girl Scouts of America were interested in finding a suitable home for the fountain. We understand that the fountain was originally moved to Ely Lake by Ed Ely, a jeweler from Carbondale, and that the fountain now stands about 75-100 yards off the SW edge of Ely Lake on property now owned by the Girl Scouts of America.

At the time of our conversation with the Rev. Gere, renovations and restoration of Carbondale's Memorial Park were underway and we were not able to take any action on behalf of the fountain. At the present time, however, we are interested in taking whatever steps might be necessary to have the fountain moved back to Carbondale and re-installed in the downtown area.

Please advise us on how to proceed in order to arrange to have the fountain moved from its present location back to Carbondale.

Sincerely,

S. Robert Powell  
President

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You'll enjoy this one...

This morning I passed a guy in a minivan who was reading a pamphlet while driving. As I passed, he drifted toward my lane and I was about to beep him when I noticed he was reading and it threw me off for a sec. Meanwhile he looked up (how thoughtful) and corrected. I decided I'd had it with people's crap so I slowed down and let him pass me and took his license number. He was still reading. Caught up with him again a couple miles later and yes, still with the papers on the steering wheel.

Called the cops. Officer Vitale was apologetic but said that simply reading isn't considered "reckless driving." He has to do something (i.e., sideswipe my car as I passed) or the magistrate will throw it out. Isn't that nice? Here I thought you were actually supposed to look out your windshield in the direction your car is moving at 60 mph. Silly me. It's times like this that I really miss the Suburban. 6,000 pounds and already scratched and rusty, and ready to take on any minivan ever built.

I guess now I'll be able to catch up on my Chaucer in the mornings. I've never read War and Peace, either.

Just wait'll web-enabled cars start to take off. Better buy a crash helmet.

Don Quixote



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Robert:

What's this... A Today show appearance (with 10 of your chickens) will be 10/25 (Wed.).

First Martha, now Katie. Good for you Robert!!! I'll try my hardest to leave at the last minute to view your segment.

Nothing much new. Busy teaching every night including Saturday's. I now have 7 private students ranging in age from children to adult. Strictly word of mouth. I'm exhausted but loving it. I figure I better make hay while the sun shines. I'm looking forward to a watercolor painting workshop this weekend myself. I don't have a strong back ground so I hope to learn technique. and have some fun.

How does Dec 9th for NYC? I would even take a day off in Dec to make a trip. Perhaps a shopper special? I really, really need a NY fix.

Take care with all that traveling.

Later, Ginger

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CC:

It's official, I have it on tape - You are our latest star - "The Cultural Group" that is.

I taped your seg-way on the Today's show. The chickens performed well but the handler was terrific.

Heard you are doing a lot of traveling with the birds - good for you. I bet you wish you were back at Harcourt so you could get some rest????????!!!!!! Only joking!

Hope the 12/9 trip goes off.

Enjoy, am

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Date: December 6, 2000 3:50:33 PM EST

To: Paul Warner &lt;mr.warner@usa.net&gt; Add to Address Book

CC:

Wednesday, December 6

Paul:

Well, as it turns out, the Lackawanna County Library system has not put a block on the A drives on the computers in the Carbondale library. I think that damaged/defective Word files on these computers was the problem. They've had their computer person look at these machines and clean them up (electronically) and then re-install Word and now everything seems fine.

The only "block" that appears to be in effect here is the one on my brain. I did venture into freedrive.com and set up some space there: filename "srobertpowell," with the same password that I use everywhere, "EAGardner"

Just now I made a number of text changes to the District 2 files on my disk, hoping to then upload them to the Internet. I'm not sure what then happened, but some of those nice green bullets that you have set up on the webpage turned into boxes and the photo of the Silver-Penciled Rocks turned into an empty box. At the same time, some gif files, which I didn't delete, appeared on my disk. I couldn't get it all back to normal but I was able to upload the file (District2.doc, 102 KB) to freedrive.com ("My Files"). Perhaps if you have a moment you can take a glance at it and see what I have done.

I can't seem to figure out how to open the files in the freedrive.com files--although I do recall seeing somewhere something about a freedrive file manager.

So here I am, lost in space, yet again.

Robert



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Friday, December 9

Paul:

Disregard my "lost in space" email of a couple of days ago. I have managed to put Humpty Dumpty back together again.

I downloaded another copy of the District 2 webpage and made some additions and corrections and was able to upload it successfully from the computers in the Carbondale Library.

When something goes wrong when I am in front of a computer screen, I never know whether it's me or the computer that is/causes the problem. In this recent case, I kinda think it was the computer.

I may not know much, but I am stubborn and I do have quite a lot of patience.

Thanks for being there and for hearing/receiving my call for help.

Robert

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Hi Robert,

Long time no see. Things are kind of up in the air over the trip this weekend; we've been a little disorganized, what with holidays and everything. Ginger tells me you've been calling her but she's been missing the calls; there are apparently few tickets available; and she didn't know if Bev had bought them or not. The upshot of this is that even assuming she has bought tickets, I may not go. I haven't gotten my ticket yet, and from what Ginger says there aren't enough to go around at this point. Not surprising, considering the time of year. I'd been wondering about that earlier this week. There may be a bus leaving from my area, but I don't know.

This may be just as well from my point of view, as my house looks as though a tornado came through, followed by a herd of elephants. We've been falling behind, and now there are packages lying around that have to be dealt with. Wrapped, sorted, etc. What I really need is to take the rest of December off and get a dumpster placed outside and start heaving stuff out the windows into it.

Autumn sucks. Maybe it's the darkness or the weather, but I always seem to be playing catch-up with my life this time of year. Jeff's schedule doesn't help any; it's really impossible to plan when we don't know what days he'll have off. What a pain.

In case this trip doesn't work out as we'd like, we should definitely schedule a holiday-celebration lunch in the next couple weeks (not the 15th and not during Xmas/Kwanzaa week, as I'll be off and may not be around). We should also start planning the next trip, to take place in a less hectic month.

I hope I'll get to see you before the holidays come around, one way or another.

Cheers,

Beth

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Friday afternoon

Beth:

Yes, December is difficult.

I can never be sure whether it's because of "diminished capacity" or because I'm trying to accomplish too much (historical society, national poultry activities, cattle, library, etc.) but I am always desperately trying to find more time.

Tomorrow, instead of joining Ginger & Co. when the bus arrives in New York, I think I will just stay on the bus and sleep (away from the phone and from all possible interruptions) until it comes time to return home. On the return trip to Pennsylvania from New York, I will, like everyone else on the bus, sleep.

In the event my brother asks me how the trip was, I will just create some elaborate lie and he'll be none the wiser.

Yes, let's give it our best to have a lunch get-together before the end-of-the-year hysteria gets too acute.

Robert



*Suanton Times, 11-18-2000 - p. A6*

# Mayor won't have to fear challenge to unveiling of official portrait

BY MICHAEL SADOWSKI / REGIONAL STAFF  
WHITT

Carbondale Mayor John "Jigger" Jordan spent the time after his election looking over his shoulder.

Shrouded with courtroom threats from his closest competitor, Joseph Vadella, and the uncertainty of a new city council, the first few months after the November 1999 election weren't the easiest of times for the current mayor.

But with that out of the way, Mayor Jordan has seen better days, and for his efforts, he is about to be rewarded as many other Carbondale mayors have been.

On Sunday, Mayor Jordan's portrait will be one of three added to the collection of mayoral pictures on the wall of the City Council Chambers on the second floor of City Hall.

The official unveiling ceremony will take place Sunday at 2 p.m., though the pictures have been on the wall all this week.

"It's an honor to have my picture up there with all the others," said Mayor Jordan. "It's something my kids will see, and their kids will see for a long time. I'm very proud."

Also being added to the pic-

*'It's an honor to have my picture up there with all the others. It's something my kids will see, and their kids will see for a long time.'*

**John Jordan**  
Carbondale mayor

tures are two 19th Century Carbondale mayors, William Brennan (1865-66) and Thomas Voyle (1867-69, 73-74, 82-83).

Mayor Jordan's picture is the only one of the new additions that is done by photography.

The other two black-and-white portraits are original compositions drawn by Alice Stolle of Carbondale.

Ms. Stolle recreated the portraits from images found in local history books.

The Carbondale Historical Society has consistently placed three portraits on the wall each fall and spring for three years. This total brings the number of mayors on display to 28, 15 short of the 41 mayors the city has had. At the rate the historical society is moving, the process should be completed by spring 2003.

The society has run through all of the mayors it has pictures of, and now must hunt through local lore to find the remaining images.

The society has started plans for the spring 2001 unveiling, but only has one definite portrait. Mayor William Morrison (1874-75) will be one of the pictures for sure, because the society already has his portrait.

The society also may have clues to the whereabouts of a picture of A.F. Fey (1928-32). He is one of three city mayors from the 20th Century the society is still tracking, along with James B. Murrin (1912-16) and John T. Loftus (1916-24).

Though some paintings have been recreated through newspaper photos, the society first looks for pictures from family members. If anyone can assist in this endeavor, call the Carbondale Historical Society at 282-0988.

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December 13, 2000

S. Robert Powell  
Carbondale Historical Society  
and Museum Inc.  
Post Office Box 151  
Carbondale, PA 18407

Dear Mr. Powell,

I wanted to acknowledge your letter of December 6. It is true that one of the fountains formerly located in Carbondale is not located on property at Camp Archbald. However, we were not actually trying to find a home for the fountain. It was formerly the site of one of our day camps, but the area has not been used for some time. There was some interest by Girl Scouts in clearing the area and restoring the fountain. No progress has been made on that project as yet.

We were approached by the Montrose Historical Society with a request that we donate the fountain to them. The Property Committee at that time noted that should we choose to give or sell the fountain, we would need to contact Carbondale first to see if they wanted it.

At this time, no decision has been made to remove the fountain. I will present your letter to the Property Committee at their next meeting, which will be in late January. While they may make a recommendation, a decision would need to come from the Board of Directors. One concern would certainly be the possible environmental impact of removal and restoring the area to its original condition.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Shirley Kelly".

Shirley Kelly  
Program Director



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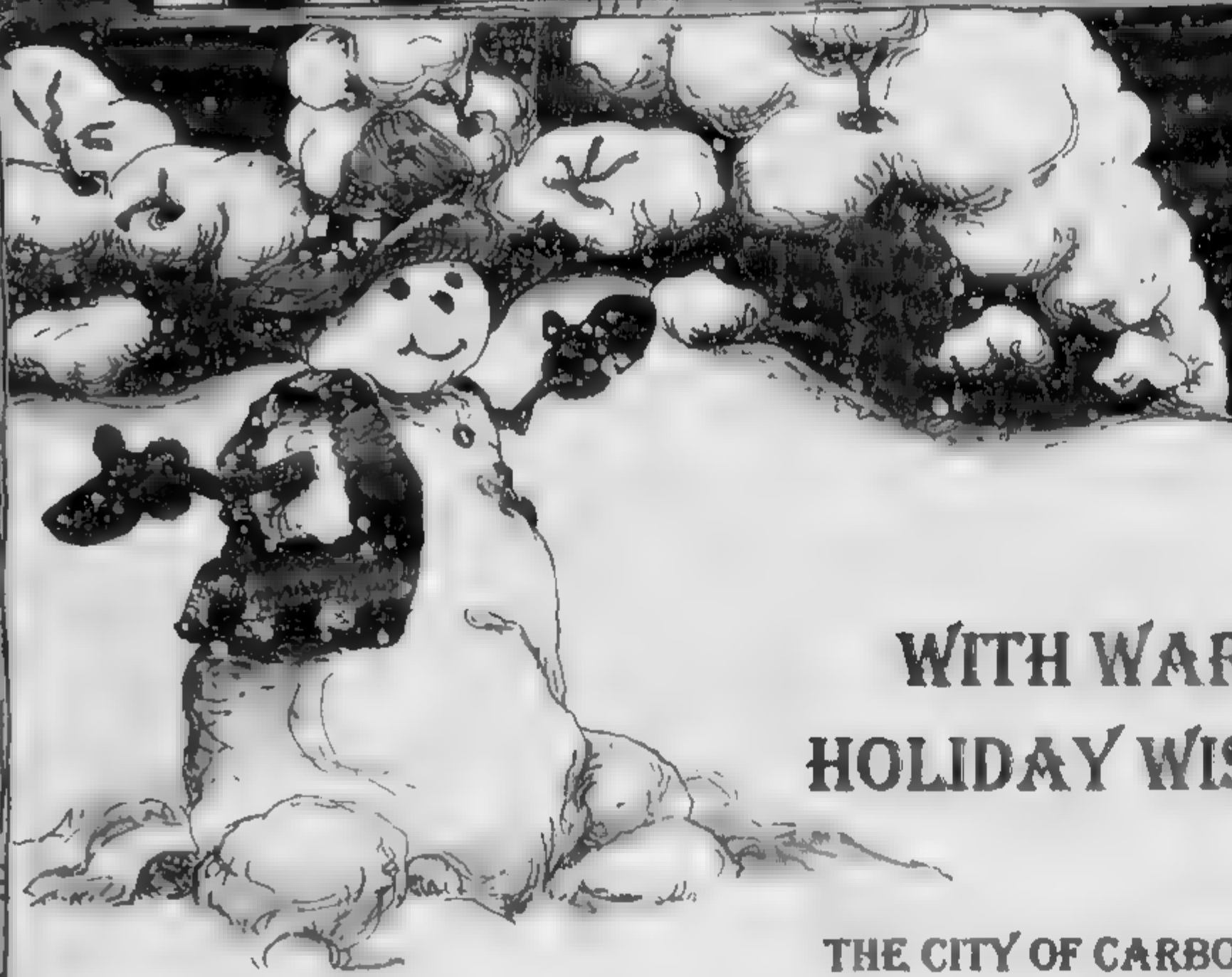
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Hi Robert,

Great news about the "Today" show! First Martha Stewart, and now this! Unfortunately, I wasn't able to catch your appearance because I'm on the train to work at that time. So how did it go? Did the live props behave themselves?

Is Armytage a friend of yours? Actually, I just did a search for "Extraordinary Chickens" on amazon.com and read a customer review: "A must for anyone who knows chickens!" The chicken on the cover is really cute.

I agree...not bad for a chicken farmer from the hills of Pennsylvania!

How's everything else going?

Things are fine here. I got an interesting call a few weeks ago from a reporter who used to work in our office. She took a job with Reuters, one of our competitors (also in Chicago), a few months ago and called to say there was an opening there for a copy editor. I said I wasn't interested at first because I've been happy at Bridge, but then she told me that editors there make about \$25K more than at Bridge(!).

Needless to say, I sent along my resume. The job won't be filled until after the first of the year, so by that time I'll have been here for a year and a half. I'll just have to wait and see, I guess.

How's life on Editors' Row? Geez, it seems as if a bunch of people have left since I was there. I haven't talked to Cheryl in a while...is she still "developing products"? What about Ginger, Bev, Sheila, Paul? I'm assuming the Dean is still there, walking the halls with yellow Post-its in hand.

Well, time to head to lunch. (Coincidentally, I brought a chicken salad sandwich.)

Nice talking to you, Robert.

Kelly

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December 16

Kelly:

*one of the "quality" people with  
whom I worked at ICS.*

Glad you were able to see the Today show segment on exhibition poultry. My role in the whole thing was secondary. It was good for exhibition poultry and that's the important thing.

There are many additional comments on the Today show experience on the APA District 2 webpage which can be easily accessed by going to the homepage of the American Poultry Association (www.amptya.com) and clicking on "Directors." There, under my name you will see a webaddress. Click on that address and the District 2 webpage should appear before you. (The District 2 webpage was created and launched with the help of Paul Warner.)

The big news from this neck of the woods is that I have quit my job at ICS.

On a sunny Thursday afternoon in April, having just returned from a walk around the building, I decided that I would quit my job. I went over and told Mike that I was going to quit.

Why, he asked. "Working for others is too time consuming," I replied.

"To be effective when?," he asked. "Tomorrow," said I.

And that was that. It's the smartest thing I've done in 10 years.

I absolutely love not working for others--and I feel more energized than I have in decades.

I'm getting a lot done. Exclusively things that mean a lot to me (the local historical society, of which I'm president; community service organizations; poultry matters; my Hereford cattle; gardens).

Lots of changes at ICS. Cheryl and Marie have also left the hallowed halls of 925 Oak Street.

Any news on the Reuters possibility?

Ginger, Bev, Beth, and I, along with Ginger's sister Annemarie, have made several day trips to New York in recent months. Very enjoyable. I had them all out to my place for a Summer Solstice picnic/hike in June. We had a grand time.

Merry Christmas.

Robert



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7 December 2000

Mr. S. Robert Powell  
Carbondale Historical Society  
1 North Main St. (3rd Floor)  
Carbondale, PA 18407-2356

Dear Robert:

My husband and I were delighted with the family history information we were able to find on our short visit to Carbondale yesterday, and I was even more excited about the resources you told me about on the phone this morning.

My grandfather Beddoe Joseph Williams grew up in Carbondale, but only fragments of his history have survived in the family, and until recently I had very little hope of getting information about such a common family name (I am originally a Williams too). I now have excellent leads that take me back to his grandparents John P. Williams of Fell Township and Joseph Cogan of Carbondale City, and we are finding the historical context of the Carbondale region fascinating.

I told my husband your comment about your Society being impoverished but impassioned, and he said "Imagine where we'd be if they hadn't done all that work." We're too far away to do much on a volunteer basis, but we would like to contribute to your very valuable efforts, so please accept the enclosed donation for the Society.

I will be back in touch with you after New Year's for another visit to Carbondale. I am looking forward to it very much indeed.

Sincerely,



Janet Wright and Steve Gourley  
bruin1@pa.net

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December 16

Dear Janet and Steve:

Thank you for your generous donation to the Carbondale Historical Society.

During your next visit to Carbondale, I will be able to show you a photograph of the Williams barn, in its original location, in Fell Township. As it turns out, my mother (Helen Loomis Russell) went to a one-room school across the road from the Williams property in Fell Township. One day, probably during recess, the kids all lined up in front of the barn and had their picture taken. We have the photo in the family album.

Later, my grandfather (William Anderson Russell) bought the Williams barn and had it moved to the Russell Homestead, where my brother and I now live. The barn no longer stands but we have lots of photographs of the Williams barn after it was moved to our place.

If, about a week before your arrival here for another visit, you were to to send me a list of some of the things you are hoping to find, I'll do my best to provide some answers for you.

Sincerely,

S. Robert Powell

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Hi Robert,

Wow...big news about your leaving ICS. I was kind of surprised, but I know what you mean about not enjoying working for others and having to adhere to an employer's schedule. Being able to spend your time doing the things you love sounds wonderful. I'm sure everyone at ICS misses you a lot.

If I had enough money in the bank, I'd be considering a similar move myself. Alas, I'm still at Bridge and am still waiting to hear from Reuters. The bureau chief said he'd make his decision after the first of the year, so I have to wait a bit longer.

I just returned from visiting my parents in Wilkes-Barre for a few days. Because I won't be able to get the time off at Christmas, we celebrated early.

Unfortunately, I returned to bitter cold temperatures in Chicago, with more snow on the way. Is it spring yet?

Hope you have a great holiday.

Kelly



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From: s robert powell <srbertpowell@juno.com> [Add to Address Book](#) [Show brief headers |](#)

Subject: Christmas shopping

Date: December 20, 2000 3:40:49 PM EST

To: Donald W. Powell <dwp28@aol.com> [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

December 20

Nephew Don:

If you haven't already bought me a wonderful/fabulous Christmas present, don't drive yourself crazy trying to figure out what to get me. When you get here, we'll go shopping and quickly solve the problem for under \$10.

Lots of snow on the hill. It should be very nice when you get here.

See ya soon.

Uncle Robert

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M. Winter  
337 McKinley Ave.  
Jermyn, PA 18433-1323



*Antituberc  
Card  
from Peggy*

*Dr Robert Powell  
The Donald Powell  
R D 1 Box 40  
Carbondale  
PA*

*18407*

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WELCOME TO WEGMANS SCRANTON

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	BIONATR OG FUSILLI	1.99 F
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	C&B CAPERS	3.59 F
	KODOYA SESAME OIL	2.49 F
SC	OS CRAN-RASPBERRY	3.19 F
SC	US CRAN COCKTAIL	3.19 F
SC	SRTGA SPKLNG WATER	1.79 B
SC	SRTGA SPKLNG WATER	1.79 B
	LORINA ORANGEADE	3.99 B
	F&M ENG BRKFST MAR	4.69 F
	KRAKUS RASPBRY JAM	2.69 F
	KRAKUS RASPBRY JAM	2.69 F
	BL RIB FIGS 1 LB	4.99 F
SC	DELVR ORECHIETTE	1.69 F
SC	DELVR ORECHIETTE	1.69 F
SC	WALKER SHRTBRD TRN	2.89 F
	RADEMAKER STICKS	3.49 F
SC	WALK SHRTBRD RND	2.89 F

\$\$\$\$\$\$\$ SHOPPERS CLUB SAVINGS \$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$

SC	WEG RAISIN BRAN	.95-F
SC	WEG RAISIN BRAN	.95-F
SC	HH GHIR COCOA - DB	.50-F
SC	OC SPRAY CRANS	1.50-F
SC	OC SPRAY CRANS	1.50-F
SC	SARATOGA WATER	.29-B
SC	SARATOGA WATER	.29-B
SC	DELVERDE PENN ZITA	.70-F
SC	DELVERDE PENN ZITA	.70-F
SC	HH WALKER CHOC CHI	.40-F
SC	HH WALKER CHOC CHI	.40-F

TOTAL SHOPPER3 DISCOUNTS 8.18

\$

****	TAX	.42
****	BALANCE DUE	54.70
VF	ELECTRONIC PAYMENT	54.70
	CHANGE	.00

COUPON SAVINGS .00

STANDARD SHOPPERS CLUB ACCOUNT  
SEE WHAT'S FOR DINNER TONIGHT AT

#8.18 saved by  
using my  
shopper's  
club card.



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Dear Robert

SENDING  
LOTS OF LOVE  
FROM OUR FAMILY  
TO YOURS!

♡ Love,  
The Carters

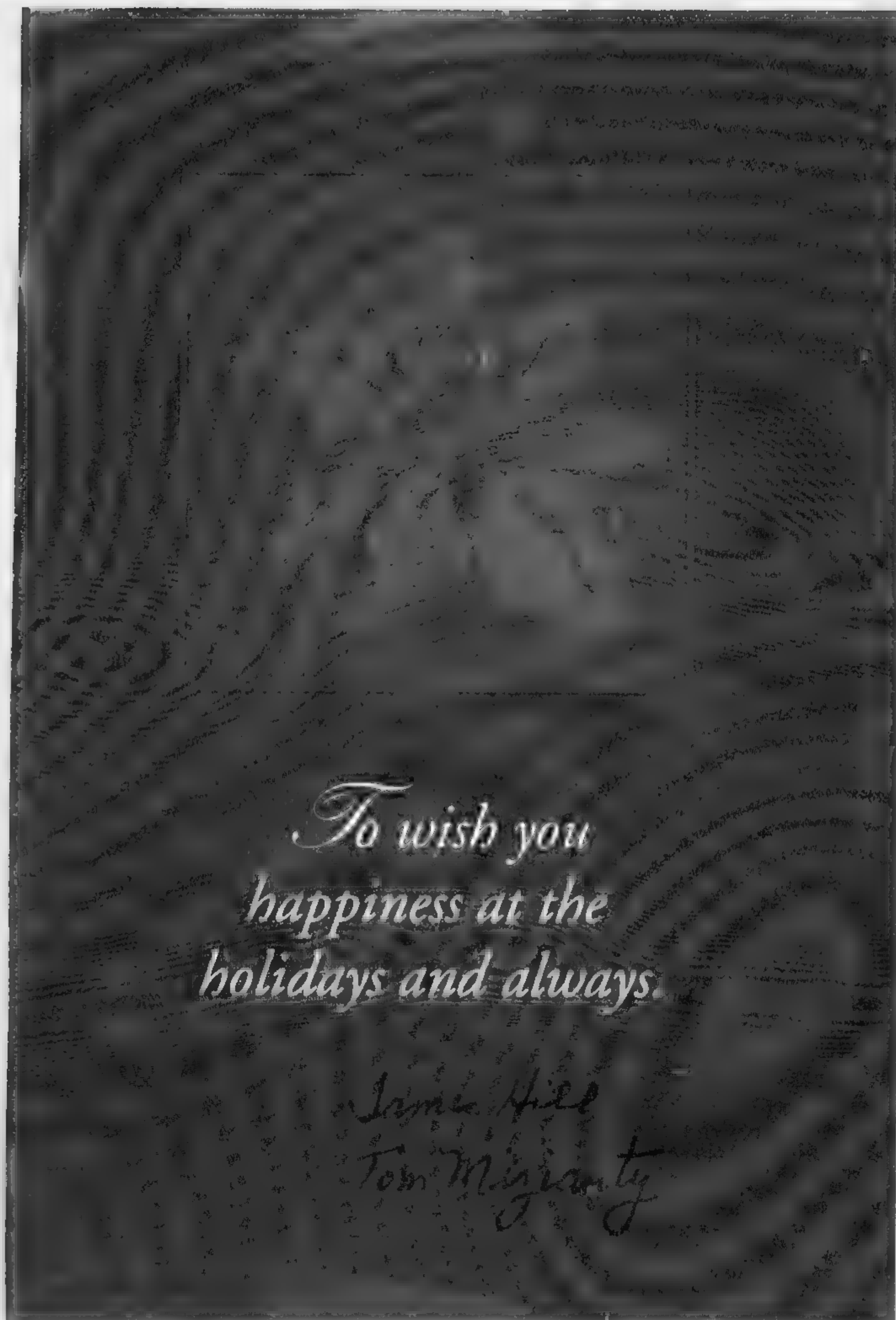
Jamie,

Jamie & I have  
been friends for  
about 30 years.

Johnny, Christopher  
& Jeffrey

1919 Locust Court  
Bloomington, Indiana 47401

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*To wish you  
happiness at the  
holidays and always.*

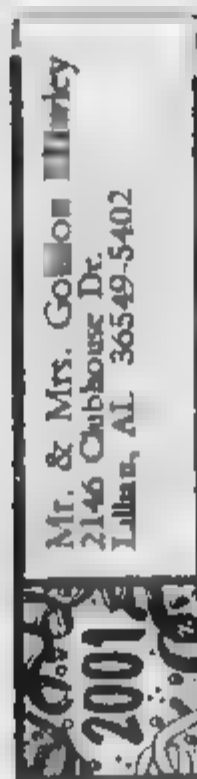
*James Hill  
Tom Mignanti*



Mr. James E. Hill, Jr  
RR 1 Box 1157A  
Waymart, PA 18472



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Season's Greetings  
2000  
Love regards  
Dorothy Louise

Griswolds -  
very involved  
with  
genealogy



Dear Family, Friends  
And Neighbors... Old and New,

The year 2000 has been very good to us;  
we had a great trip during the summer months  
and our other activities have kept us  
very busy. But, that is the way we like it.

To summarize the trip in our mini-motor  
home: we were on the road 89 days, 12,000 miles,  
26 states and Canada. We saw sections of this  
vast country that neither of us had visited  
before ... in short, a fantastic experience.

Our most memorable event was the reunion in Iowa  
of descendants of Thomas Curtis, a brother  
of Gordon's immigrant ancestor who  
came originally to Gilbertsville, NY in the  
early 1800s. Getting personally acquainted with  
members of this distant family was very special.

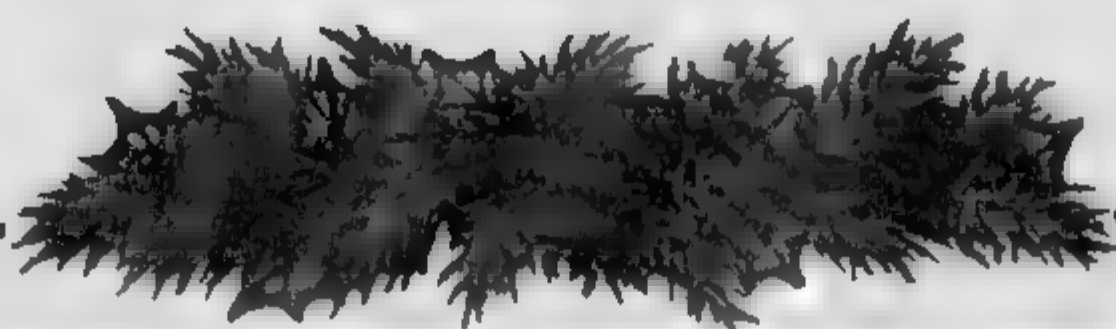
Then in Nevada we attended the Griswold Western  
Heritage Tour, arranged by another of  
Gordon's "ancestor" societies. Among other events,  
we were treated to a buffalo roast on a ranch of one  
million acres operated by two Griswold brothers  
and we actually walked part of the old California  
Trail over which many of our forbears trekked west.

Our New York State stay was short this year,  
but it included a week in Connecticut where we  
made preliminary arrangements for a reunion that  
we will be chairing in 2001. And of course,  
we stopped on our way home to visit Dick, Terri  
and the three grandchildren in Myrtle Beach.

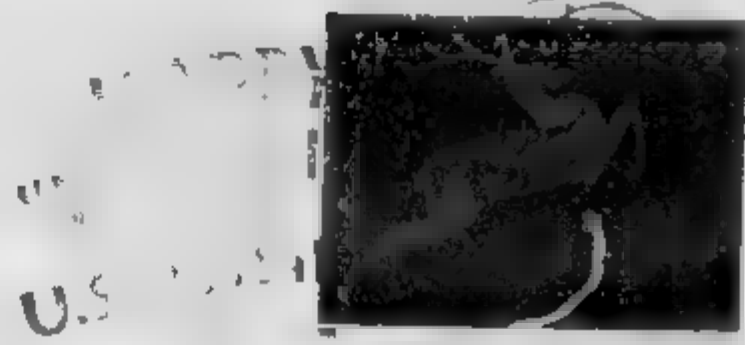
We are both well, and as you can see, enjoying  
retirement life to the fullest. Our best wishes  
go out to you all for a beautiful holiday  
season and a great year ahead.

With love and best wishes,

The Hawleys  
Christmas 2000



Hi Robert -  
Let me know if you  
want prints of what is  
in the computer - or do  
you want changes  
etc. to be made.  
Xmas



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Mr. Dan Lowell Esq  
Mr. Dan Lowell  
% The Homestead  
Carbondale, Pa.

18407

R.P. #1  
Box 40

18407/3333



Wishing you happiness  
during the holidays  
and throughout  
the new year

Hope your holidays are  
wonderful!  
I think you will  
hope all is well there.

Love,  
Sally Ann



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Don + Robert  
Don Jr.  
Powell

Don + Bob

Wishing you all the  
Blessings  
of this happy  
and holy  
Christmas Season

Love  
Melanie +  
Frank Rosin

neighbors;  
Melanie  
put a  
dish of  
Christmas  
cookies  
in our  
mailbox



This Christmas season may your home be filled with fun family times,  
tender, quiet moments together, and hearts overflowing with His love.

## CELEBRATING GOD'S GREAT LOVE WITH YOU

Bill  
Lundberg

Bob

John

Paul



Mark

From your friends at  
Narrowsburg Feed and Grain

Clay

Mike

Jeanne

Jim

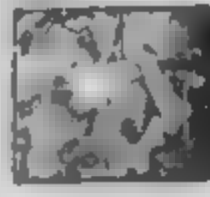
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"Behold, what manner of love  
the Father hath bestowed upon us...."  
1 JOHN 3:1 KJV

Roger  
Cathy  
Al

my poetry feed supplier.

Mr & Mrs Timothy Endres  
7723 Chatfield Ln  
Ellicott City MD 21043



Merry Christmas



X-mas 2000

Dear  
Robert,

...with all the trimmings!

Merry Christmas  
&  
Happy New Year!

Helena, Tim + Alina

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Dear Family and Friends,

December, 2000

Merry Christmas! It has been a very fun and exciting year for me. I have experienced so much in my 9 months of existence, and I thought I'd tell you all about it.

In May I learned how to hold my head up and how to grab things. I grabbed the plastic rings on my bouncy seat, but I outgrew that long ago. Since May, I have been grabbing other things as well – if you hold me, you'll see that I can also grab hair, jewelry, eyeglasses, etc.! In June I learned how to turn over. This has been a particularly useful skill, because it enables me to slink away from that torture ritual that Mommy and Daddy call a diaper change. In July I learned how to put a pacifier in my mouth all by myself – but not just a pacifier can I put in my mouth – I can put so many things in my mouth. Everything is so delicious: books, toys, magazines, compact discs, fingers, they all taste great! The only thing that I don't care for the taste of is baby food. Every day since August they try to get to me to eat that blasted stuff, and I keep telling them that I don't like it, but they just don't seem to get the message. Why would anyone want baby food if they could have a nice warm bottle?

In late July/early August I started to get more hair. It's still just fuzz, but it's so much more than what it was. And of course my hair is blonde – I have dark blonde hair and blue eyes, just like my Daddy. (I don't look a lick like my Mommy, but Daddy sure is happy that I look like he does!) On August 17, I sat without help for the first time. On Labor Day weekend I started trying to crawl, and at first I kind of "hobble-crawled," without much coordination, but by the end of September, I was a pro! September is also the month that I learned to *sit up*, from lying down to sitting position – I did that in my bath tub on September 17. And it's the month that I learned to *stand up* (I did it for the first time on September 19), and now I can walk a few steps if I hold on to furniture or a wall!!! In October I discovered a new food: Cheerios. Now I sit in my high chair and eat Cheerios and drink my sippy cup of water while Mommy and Daddy eat dinner.

I get compliments on my dexterity all the time. Why, I can pull all the napkins out of the napkin basket and all the C.D.'s out of the C.D. holder, not to mention that I can rip pages out of my Mommy's magazines. I used to be very good at opening the kitchen cabinet doors, but for some reason, I can't seem to open them anymore. Oh, and my latest skill – on my 9 month birthday, on November 4<sup>th</sup>, I climbed the stairs for the first time. Life is grand!

Happy Holidays! From your pal,

**Alina Grace**

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From: Paul Warner <[mr.warner@usa.net](mailto:mr.warner@usa.net)> [Add to Address Book](#) [Show brief headers](#) |

Subject: Re: [Merci beaucoup]

Date: December 26, 2000 3:13:09 PM EST

To: [srobert powell](mailto:srobertpowell@juno.com) <[srobertpowell@juno.com](mailto:srobertpowell@juno.com)> [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

You're welcome.

As a host for our Web sites, NBCi doesn't seem to be much of an alternative to Crosswinds, even with Crosswinds' pesky pop-ups.

Regarding those pop-ups, it seems that framed sites (like my Word & PC Tips site) don't generate pop-ups. Apparently, the site or page has to be frameless for the javascript to kick in. I suspect it's just a matter of time, however, before the Crosswinds programmers catch on and plug up that loophole. But, if you want, I can redesign your site and set it up with frames in an effort to elude the pop-ups at least for right now. Let me know.

Also, Crosswinds is apparently offering their members a loophole of their own. If a member pledges a minimum of \$10, Crosswinds promises to remove the java (pop-ups) from that member's site. If you're interested, go to <http://home.crosswinds.net/pledge/>. Be aware, though, that a donation may buy only a temporary reprieve from these Crosswinds cyber woes. I still think the Crosswinds are blowing toward oblivion.

Meanwhile, make sure you have a current backup copy of your stuff.

I'm still working on getting your other chicken pictures online. I'll mail the artwork back to you when I'm finished scanning the pictures in.

I hope to identify at least one stable alternative to Crosswinds by the end of January.

Keep the faith, have a happy, and if you go out in that wind, wear a hat.

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From: [s robert powell <srobertpowell@juno.com>](#) [Add to Address Book](#) [Show brief headers](#) |

Subject: Merci beaucoup

Date: December 26, 2000 1:53:56 PM EST

To: [Paul Warner <mr.warner@usa.net>](#) [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

December 26

Paul:

Given my remarkable capacity for backing myself into cyberswamps, I am always very relieved to learn that at least some of the "problems" that come my way when I sit down to a computer are not caused by me.

Thank you for the explanation of the pop-up stuff on the Crosswinds site. Thanks, as well, for bouncing back to me the attachment on "faking at poultry shows" in that recent e-mail that I received from a fellow poultry judge on the west coast.

I've had just about enough of this cold weather. The other morning when I went out to feed the cows at 7 A.M. it was 8 below zero and there was a pretty good wind. The cows, remarkably, are completely unaffected by the cold.

Thanks again for the cyberhelp.

Robert

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From: [Paul Warner <mr.warner@usa.net>](#) [Add to Address Book](#) [Show brief headers](#) | [Show all headers](#)

Subject: Re: [From whence?]

Date: December 22, 2000 2:43:59 PM EST

To: [s robert powell <srobertpowell@juno.com>](#) [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

Hello.

That thing is a pop-up ad that Crosswinds is now forcing on the pages they host. Did you ever wonder how Crosswinds could afford to host thousands and thousands of Web sites without charging money and without requiring their members to display ads? Well, the answer is, they apparently can't.

But don't be too hard on Crosswinds. They've apologized profusely for being forced to require us to display advertisements, and they're trying to make this a temporary solution to their fiscal woes. By the way, my other pick for a free Web host (Spree.com -- who always required their members to carry ads) recently went bankrupt! Crosswinds is now fighting to stay alive. That's why we have those annoying popups now.

Meanwhile, I'm actively looking for one or more alternative hosts for our Web sites. Crosswinds, alas, may not make it through the new year. I'll check out NBCi first, and I'll keep you posted with any new info.

<http://wwwx.nbc.com/mywebsite/>

Bye, now.



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From: s robert powell <srobertpowell@juno.com> Add to Address Book Show brief headers

Subject: Avuncular Tips

Date: December 27, 2000 3:25:25 PM EST

To: Donald W. Powell <dwp28@aol.com> Add to Address Book

CC:

December 28

Nephew Don:

Clean up your act.

Be nice to people.

Remember to say "please" and "thank you."

Be nice to animals--and your uncles.

Try not to be a slob.

Make your bed.

Eat your vegetables.

Remember to change your socks and underwear at least once a month--whether you need to or not.

Sit up straight and don't slouch, especially when eating.

When eating, move the food to your mouth and not your mouth to the food.

Try not to pick your nose at the table.

Remember that farting is not an intercollegiage sport and that trophies are rarely given for farting.

Best regards,

Uncle Robert

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2001

1/2, 1972

Dear Clara,  
I was sorry to  
learn from Doris  
Howell that Nick  
has died. These last  
several months must  
have been very  
difficult for you  
and your family.

The Grange is still  
hanging in there as  
an organization, but  
we have decided  
to sell the building  
to Randy Howell.

Sincerely,

Robert Powell

Clara Burdett

874 Midwood Drive

Rahway, NJ 07065

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**CARBONDALE HISTORICAL SOCIETY  
and MUSEUM, INC.**

**Post Office Box 151, Carbondale, PA 18407**

**Phone: 717-282-0385**

**(Working on behalf of Carbondale's Past, Present, and Future)**

**January 4, 2001**

**Dear Members:**

Thank you for renewing your membership in—or for becoming a member of—the Carbondale Historical Society and Museum for 2001. Your membership card is enclosed. We very much appreciate your support through membership.

**SOME RECENT HISTORICAL SOCIETY  
ACCOMPLISHMENTS / EVENTS**

In ceremonies sponsored by the Historical Society, three additional portraits of mayors of Carbondale were unveiled in City Council Chambers on Sunday afternoon, November 19. The three mayors whose portraits were unveiled are: William Brennan (1865-1866), Thomas Voyle (1867-1869, 1873-1874, 1882-1883), and John Jordan (2000—present). The portraits of Mayors Brennan and Voyle are original compositions by Alice Stolle, Carbondale. The master of ceremonies was S. Robert Powell. Mr. and Mrs. Myron Hellman and Gloria Wilson presided at the refreshment table.

These portraits will become a part of the permanent exhibition of mayors' portraits in Council Chambers. The exhibition curator is Joseph Pascoe, the treasurer of the Historical Society. Portraits of 28 of Carbondale's mayors are now on display in Council Chambers, including a photographic reproduction of an oil painting by J. W. Raught of the city's first mayor, James Archbald. This painting is an oil on canvas that was copied by Raught from a painting by Elliott, dated 1845. The Raught painting of James Archbald was presented to the city of Carbondale by James Archbald's daughter, Mary Wodrow Archbald Catlin.

On Sunday, December 10, the Seventeenth Annual Carbondale Christmas Concert by the Crystal Band took place in the Berean Baptist Church, Carbondale. This annual concert is sponsored by the Historical Society and the Berean Baptist Church as a Christmas gift to the community as a whole. Refreshments were served following the concert. As always, the concert was a joyful and inspiring event. This year's concert was under the direction of Thomas Frew.

On December 13<sup>th</sup>, the Society's annual Christmas Dinner took place at Pettinato's Restaurant, Carbondale. Fifty members and friends attended the event, which was, in every respect, a complete success. Society member Paul Starzer offered the invocation at the beginning of the evening.

In the course of the dinner meeting, "Distinguished Achievement Awards in Historical Preservation" were presented to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Davis (Tiffany/Davis House, 40 Washington Street), Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carroll (Burke/Carroll House, 65 Seventh Avenue), and Pleasant Mount Welding, Inc., 45 Dundaff Street (PMWI was represented at the dinner by Messrs. Ed Turano and Chris Duquette). Following the presentation of awards, S. Robert Powell showed about a hundred slides of post-card views of Carbondale from the nineteenth and twentieth centuries. Many members and friends were heard to say that this year's annual Christmas dinner meeting was very special and most enjoyable.

On New Years's Eve, members of the Society participated in the kick-off ceremonies at City Hall to commemorate the sesquicentennial of the city of Carbondale's incorporation on March 15, 1851.

### COMING ATTRACTIONS / EVENTS

All year long, there will be special ceremonies and events—at least one per month—to commemorate the city's 150<sup>th</sup> birthday. On February 18, at 3 P.M., at the Berean Baptist Church, there will be a special historical program, under the direction of the Historical Society and the

**Carbondale Ministerium.** Hymn singing by the congregation will be an integral component of this program.

**On March 15, at 9:30 A.M. in the auditorium at Carbondale Area High School, Charter Day Ceremonies will be conducted under the direction of the Historical Society. Students from the school and the CAHS chorus and band, as well as Mayor Jordan and other local and area elected officials, will participate in these ceremonies.**

### **GET INVOLVED**

**The next meeting of the Society will take place on Thursday, February 15, 2001, in the Society's exhibition gallery in 301 City Hall. The meeting, which is the quarterly meeting for the first quarter of 2001, will begin at 7 P.M. and is expected to last no more than one hour. We are anxious to have your input as to present and future plans for the Historical Society. The meeting is open to the public. Come to the meeting. Bring a friend with you.**

**Sincerely,**



**S. Robert Powell  
President**

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Subject: Wrestling

Date: January 5, 2001 4:46:09 PM EST

To: [Donald W. Powell <dwp28@aol.com>](#) [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

January 5

Nephew Don:

Good luck at your wrestling meet tomorrow. Let us (your father, Pussy, Gray Cat, and me) know how things go.

Uncle Robert

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**Subject:** [No Subject]

**Date:** January 9, 2001 12:53:06 PM EST

**To:** [srobertpowell@juno.com](mailto:srobertpowell@juno.com) [Add to Address Book](#)

**CC:**

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Hi.

Happy New Year.

Well, it's that time of year again. Ginger's 39th birthday is right around the corner (Jan. 11th). We will be going out to lunch to celebrate on Thursday. I don't know where we're going but it will either be for Chinese or to Gerrity's.

I hope you are free and can join us. We are all needing our "Robert fix", and we can talk about our next journey to NYC.

I thoroughly enjoyed my grandchildren over the chirstmas holiday and I can say we had one of the nicest holidays, ever. I hope you had a wonderful Christmas holiday, as well.

The powers that be are lurking so I best send this off.

Looking forward to seeing you on Thursday.

Bev

# MORGAN STANLEY DEAN WITTER

## STATEMENT OF YOUR ACCOUNT FOR MONTH ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2000

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Your Financial Advisor  
THOMAS F CONIGLIARO  
MORGAN STANLEY DEAN WITTER  
415 SPRUCE ST  
SCRANTON, PA 18503  
(570) 961-7700

Account Number  
620 027096

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S ROBERT POWELL  
RD 1 BOX 40  
CARBONDALE PA 18407 9706 620

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### ASSET DETAILS

Your Investments		Current Price	Value	Est Yrly Income	Current Yield
26	ARCHER DANIELS MIDLAND	15.00000	390.00	5.20	1.33%
580	DTE ENERGY COMPANY	38.93750	22,583.75	1,194.80	5.29%
24	ELECTR DATA SYSTEMS CORP	57.75000	1,386.00	14.40	1.03%
42	GENERAL MOTORS CORP H (NEW)	23.00	966.00		
338	GENERAL MOTORS CORP	50.93750	17,216.87	676.00	3.92%
50	HEALTH MGMT ASSOC CL A	20.75000	1,037.50		
100	INTEL CORP	30.06250	3,006.25	8.00	.26%
25	INTL BUSINESS MACHINES CORP	85.00000	2,125.00	13.00	.61%
20	NORFOLK SOUTHERN CORP	13.31250	266.25	16.00	6.00%
25	PFIZER INC	46.00000	1,150.00	11.00	.95%
100	TEXAS INSTRUMENTS	47.37500	4,737.50	8.50	.17%
<b>Total Value of Priced Investments</b>			<b>\$54,865.12</b>	<b>\$1,946.90</b>	<b>3.54%</b>

Custodial Holdings		Symbol	Current Price	Date	Value	Custodian	Dividend Cap Gains Option	Fund Plan Number
1875.02	MSDW LIQUID ASSET FUND	ILAF	1.00	12/29/00	1,875.02	MSDWT	Reinv/ N/A	024884385
574.671	MSDW GLOBAL DIV GROW B	GLBBX	11.94	12/29/00	6,861.57	MSDWT	Reinv/Reinv	018445159
53.586	MSDW AMERICAN OPPORTUNITIES B	AMOBX	32.94	12/29/00	1,765.12	MSDWT	Reinv/Reinv	091539757
1163.988	MSDW HIGH YIELD D	HYLDX	3.15	12/29/00	3,666.56	MSDWT	Reinv/Reinv	018440114
508.919	MSDW DIVIDEND GROWTH B	DIVBX	53.83	12/29/00	27,395.10	MSDWT	Reinv/Reinv	018443482
1013.723	MSDW NATURAL RESOURCE B	NREBX	15.21	12/29/00	15,418.72	MSDWT	Reinv/Reinv	080726059
<b>Total Custodial Holdings</b>					<b>\$56,982.09</b>			

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Cash	0.00
<b>Total Account Valuation</b>	<b>\$1,946.90</b>

### Total Account Valuation

\$1,946.90

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DEAR ROBERT

Season's Greetings

MERRY CHRISTMAS

John MARDER

PO Box 181  
SHILLINGTON PA  
19607-0181

Members h.p. & enclosed.  
RENEWAL

(610) 582-4261





*Rader,*

**M**ay the Joy of this  
Holiday Season  
be Yours to Share  
Throughout  
the New Year.

*Congratulations and  
Good Luck*

*Betty Dempsey  
153 Fallbrook St.*



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## ADVENT 2000

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Advent season was once again a busy time here at Berean Baptist., Thank you to all who participated.



On December 2nd, we had the **Hanging of the Greens** followed by coffee and dessert. Then on Sunday, December 3rd, the final touches were placed in the sanctuary. Different members of the congregation present these items, while an explanation of why we use them was read.



**Carbondale Historical Society** sponsored a concert by the **Crystal Band** on December 10th in our sanctuary. If you have not heard this band in our sanctuary, you have missed a wonderful treat. A reception was held after the concert.



**Christmas Eve Service** was held at 10:00 P.M. with a carols and lessons service and the lighting of the **Advent wreath and Christ Candle**. The service ended with a congregational candle-lighting as the carol "Silent Night" was played.



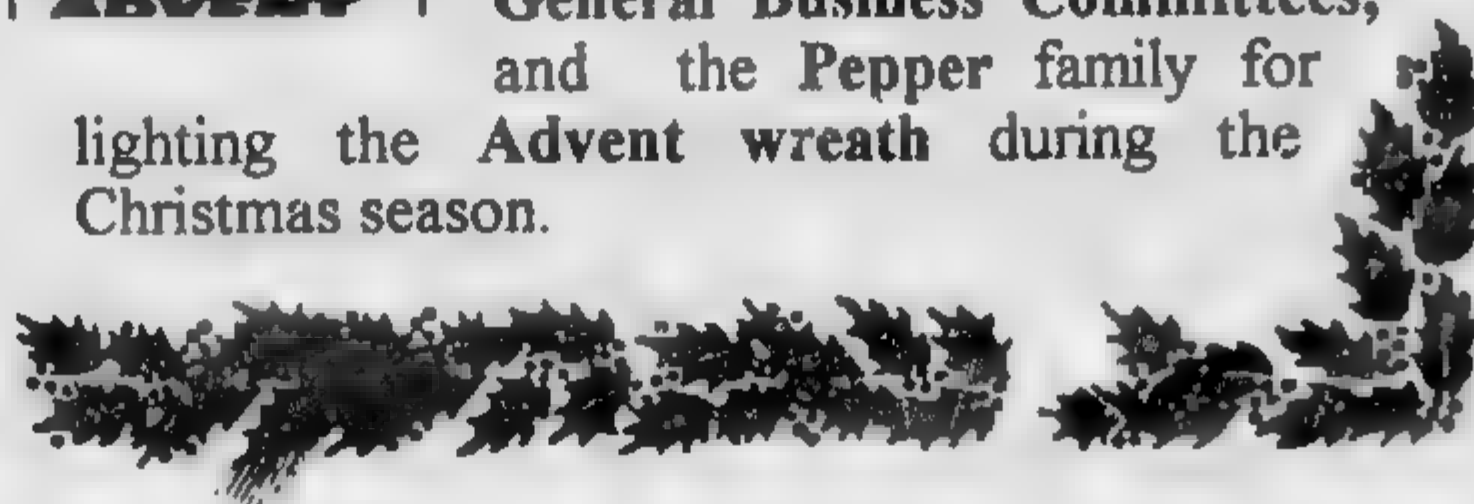
The second Saturday of Advent was a special day of excitement in our church fellowship hall. The **Santa Shop** was open for any youngsters wanted to find gifts for their family and friends. The **teenage Sunday School Class** was in charge of this project. We also had a "Birthday Party for Jesus." Our thanks to **Rev. Richard Thomas** who present a program to the young people. We would like to thank **Myrtle Oakley, Doris Williams, Mary Schermerhorn** and the **Sunday School teachers** for all of their help. **Edie Seigle**, Chairperson of the **Christian Education Committee** was in charge.



We would like to thank the **Spiritual, Christian Education, General Business Committees,** and the **Pepper family** for lighting the **Advent wreath** during the Christmas season.

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*Wishing you the special happiness  
Christmas brings and warm moments  
to share with those you love*





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✧ December 2000

Happy Holidays

to you, Robert!

Merry Christmas  
& Happy New  
Year to  
you & your  
children!

Kelly

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1/10/01

Dear Mary,

Thanks for the clipping from  
"The Washington Post" about the  
poor and the presidential  
election — with a Carbondale  
dateline. Very interesting.

Carbondale's 150th birthday  
year began on New Year's  
Eve with a nice celebration  
at City Hall. There's going  
to be <sup>at least</sup> one sesquicentennial  
event every month, all  
year long.

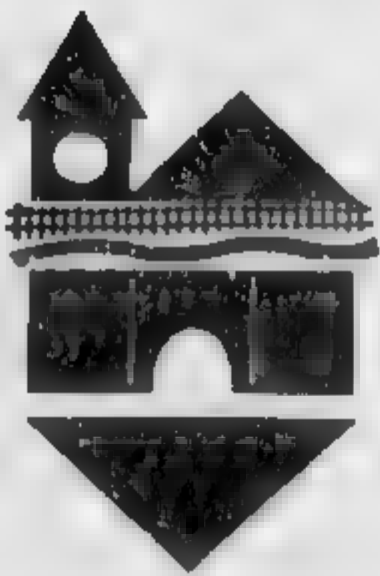
I hope you are well.  
Happy new year. Sincerely,  
Robert Powell

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# **On New Year's Eve, Celebrate The Real Millennium and Celebrate Carbondale's 150 Years.**

On December 31, Carbondale will welcome the *real*/new millennium and the city's sesquicentennial year at City Hall and Memorial Park.

It all starts at 10:30 p.m. There'll be music by DJ Mike Critchley, a light show by Effects Unlimited, and (of course) fireworks by International Fireworks at midnight. Questions? Call 282.7156



The Carbondale  
Business  
Association



The City  
of  
Carbondale



The Lackawanna  
Heritage Valley  
Authority

## Big party set for New Year's to mark city's 150th birthday

The Carbondale Business Association with the support of the City of Carbondale and the Lackawanna Heritage Valley Authority (LHVA) is continuing plans for the Celebration of the Real Millenium and the start of Carbondale's 150th birthday.

Providing musical entertainment is Mike Critchley, a professional DJ for over 12 years. Mike has many events for the Carbondale Business Association. He will play a wide variety of music to complement the festive New Year's Eve celebration at City Hall.

Opening ceremonies will feature an address by Mayor John Jordan, and representatives of the Carbondale Business Association and the Carbondale Historical Society. Local students will provide music for these ceremonies. The program starts at 10:30 p.m. and will conclude with fireworks at midnight. Additional events are being finalized and a special event will soon be announced.

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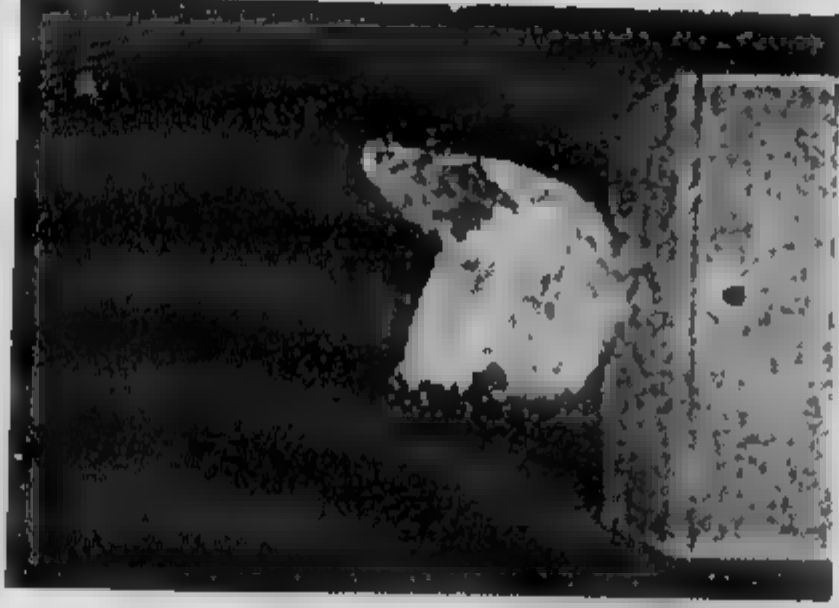
The New Year's Celebration marks the launch of a yearlong program of events highlighting the founding of Carbondale in 1851. March 15, Carbondale's Charter Day, will be marked by activities led by the Carbondale Historical Society. The concentration of this event will be a program with local school children. There will be an event each month and other major events will take place in July August.

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THE 110TH BOSTON SHOW - L to R - 1 Howard Stark, left, General Sales Manager of Limestone Products Corp. of America and George Schroeder, right, president of the Honesdale Show, a salesman for Limestone and one of Boston's hardest workers. 2 - First R.L. Red Bantam cock by F.F. Nichols, New Hartford, Conn. 3 - Annual Boston

visitors (1 to R) Charles Johnson, "Jimmy" Mack (standing), "Ted" Stimson, Ernest Freeman, "Art" Belado and "Dusty" May. 4 - First Light Brahma hen by Harvey Wood. 5 - Two old timers - left, Fred Groesbeck from Vernon, Conn., and on the right is "Dainty" Danny Cavanaugh of Windsor. (Poultry Press Photo)

↑ George Schroeder

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# CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA AVIAN CLUB

Established in 1974



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January 20, 2001

United Orpington Club  
Warren Tye  
982 W 4800 South  
Murray, UT 84123

Dear Club Secretary:

To add to the success of the Central Pennsylvania Avian Club's 2001 show, we seek to have a meet from your club. The show will be held Sunday, May 6th in Bloomsburg, PA at the spectacular Bloomsburg Fair Grounds. Central Pennsylvania is a beautiful and accessible area for a show and we feel we offer your club a great location for a meet. We would like the best level meets available to us and if its to late for this year please let us know the deadlines for the 2002 show.

The deadline for our receipt of your club's show catalog information is March 15th for the Spring show. The Spring show catalogs will be mailed approx. April 1st, 2001. Please include any show reports you need completed and they will be returned promptly after the show. If you have a membership listing be sure to include this information and I'll be sure to send the regional members our show catalog. Thank you in advance for your help and I have included a SASE for your reply.

Sincerely,

*Karen*

Karen W. Porr  
Show Secretary



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**January 10, 2001**

S. R. Powell  
RR 1 Box 40  
Carbondale, PA 18407-9706

**Re: Accidental Death and Dismemberment Insurance**

**Dear S. R. Powell:**

**As the Administrator for the CNA Accidental Death & Dismemberment Insurance Program offered to you through PNC Bank, we would like to bring to your attention that you were not billed for your quarterly premium in December.**

Because of administrative errors, your December billing will take place in early February. Please note that your insurance will not lapse during this time period. Your March billing will take place during its regular time.

**We would like to apologize for this error and any confusion it has caused you.**

**If you have questions or concerns about your coverage, please feel free to contact our Customer Service Representatives toll-free at (800) 252-2148.**

Sincerely,

Jaine Mathias

**Jaime Mathias**  
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Uncle Robert,  
I am writing a little late last Thursday I had a match against Garnet Valley and they did not have a heavyweight so they forfeited. This Tuesday we wrestled Paxon Hollow they didnt have a heavyweight either. This Thursday we wrestled Haverford and they had a heavyweight who beat me bad but cant win them all. I m all packed for Vermont we leave Sunday at 6:00 am. Well got to run. I ll send a post card . See ya  
Nephew Don



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— for Carbondale News, 1/24

## Sesquicentennial Celebration Continues

The 150<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the signing of the charter that brought into existence the city of Carbondale will be commemorated all year long with at least one special event per month.

These celebrations began on New Year's Eve's when the Carbondale Business Association, the city of Carbondale, the Carbondale Historical Society, and the Lackawanna Heritage Valley Authority welcomed in the city's sesquicentennial year with celebrations at City Hall and in the downtown area. These New Year's Eve sesquicentennial celebrations were under the direction of Paul and Teresa Browne.

At that time, a light show by Effects Unlimited was projected on City Hall and in Memorial Park. Marissa Famularo and Kathleen Marzzacco opened the evening's program by singing the "Star Spangled Banner." Mayor John Jordan, Bernadette Lepre, and Dr. S. Robert Powell offered remarks appropriate to the occasion from the speakers' platform on the balcony of City Hall. DJ Mike Critchley presented a musical tribute on the occasion and a sesquicentennial fireworks display took place. Cookies, hot chocolate and coffee were provided by the Ben Mar and Zazzera's market.

These sesquicentennial celebrations will continue in February with a musical and historical program on Sunday afternoon, February 18, in the main sanctuary of the Berean Baptist Church, North Church Street and Lincoln Avenue. The Rev. Dale Pepper of the Berean Baptist Church, and Dr. S. Robert Powell, president of the



Historical Society, will be in charge of the program, which will begin at 3 P.M.

The choirs of the First Presbyterian Church (Pam Hudson, director), the Trinity Episcopal Church (Dawn Pentecost, director), the First United Methodist Church (Maria Collura), Saint Rose of Lima Church (Doreen Coleman, director), Berean Baptist Church (Gloria Seigle, director), Marian Community Hospital (Barbara Arabio, director), and the New Life Assembly of God, among others, will participate in this program.

A six-part history of Carbondale, written by Dr. Powell, will be read by representatives of the youth groups of each of the participating churches and organizations. These readings will alternate with the musical offerings of the participating choirs. There will also be congregational singing of traditional and patriotic hymns by the entire assembly. Refreshments will be served following the program.

The public is cordially invited to attend this musical and historical program. For additional information, contact Rev. Pepper at 282-6309.

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December 27, 2000

Dear Friend of the Carbondale Public Library:

**SIXTH ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP DINNER**

Thursday, January 25, 2001

Frank's Place  
57 Jefferson Street; Simpson, PA 18407

Cash Bar - - - 6:00 to 6:30 p.m.

Dinner - - - 6:30 p.m.

**Speaker - Susan Campbell Bartoletti**

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